THE WEATHER

Snow, followed by rain late tonight and Friday; rising temperature.

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$465,000 Verdict In Woodhouse Alienation Suit

CHELMSFORD GIRL SHOT AT

Lowell Men Arrested For Arson

MRS. DORRIT S. WOODHOUSE WINS SUIT AGAINST PARENTS-AT-LAW

Jury Returns Verdict of $465,000 For Plaintiff After Being Out 40 Hours —Award Largest Ever Given in An Alienation Suit in Vermont and Possibly in New England

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 7.—An award of $465,000 was made today by the jury which for more than 40 hours deliberated over the million dollar claim of Mrs. Dorrit Stevens Woodhouse against her wealthy parents-at-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo E. Woodhouse of New York and this city, for the alienation of the affections of her husband, Douglas Woodhouse. The case had consumed five weeks in hearing.

Of the $465,000 damages awarded, the jury directed that $400,000 be considered actual damages and $65,000 as a punitive and exemplary damage award.

A small crowd only was in the court room when the verdict was made known.

Steps were taken immediately by the defense counsel to appeal the case, it was announced.

The award was the largest ever given in an alienation suit in Vermont, and possibly in New England.

The plaintiff, daughter of a family in modest circumstances who were neighbors of the wealthy Woodhouses here, contended that her parents-at-law had inspired and supported her husband in a separation from her that led to his going to Reno to establish a residence as the basis for a divorce. She had been snubbed by them, she submitted, and never given adequate recognition as the wife of their son.

Proprietors of Depot Cash Markets Arrested When Grand Jury Returns Indictments on Counts of Arson

Arrests the Result of Investigations of Fires That Burned Simultaneously in Bridge Street and Kearney Square Stores on Night of Nov. 14—Bail Was Placed at $2000 Each and is Furnished—Must Appear in Superior Court Tomorrow

Max, Jacob and Philip Bogdonoff, local men who own four stores which do business under the name of the Depot Cash Markets, have been secretly indicted by the Middlesex county grand jury on four counts of arson. Max and Jacob were arrested this morning and Philip was taken into custody early this afternoon.

Bail was set at $2000 each and was furnished at local police headquarters this afternoon. The three men will appear before the superior court in East Cambridge tomorrow to answer to the charges brought against them.

The indictments and arrests are the result of fires in their two Bridge street stores, which occurred on the night of Nov. 14 at almost the same time. It will be remembered that shortly before 8 o'clock the fire department was called to combat a blaze which started in the cellar of the Depot cash market, located at 370 Bridge street. While firemen were fighting that blaze, an alarm was turned in for a fire in the market owned by them in Kearney square. This fire also started in the cellar, according to Chief Edward F. Saunders. The Centralville fire was the least damaging of the two, the loss being estimated at a few hundred dollars. The loss at the Kearney Square market was total and amounts to about $15,000.

Following the fires Chief Saunders made a report to the fire marshal's office in Boston and Everett W. Shumway was sent here to investigate.

Captain David Petrie, head of the criminal investigating bureau of the local police began an immediate investigation of the entire matter. A preliminary hearing was held at which several witnesses were summoned to appear before Capt. Petrie, Chief Saunders and Inspector Shumway. As the result of that hearing Captain Petrie decided to place the facts before the grand jury.

—While 10 witnesses were summoned to appear before the grand jury it is said that only five of them were heard.

This morning Inspector Shumway came here with the grand jury's findings. Warrants were obtained for the three men and Capt. Petrie, assisted by Inspector Shumway, Lieut. Ryan and Sergt. McCloughrey went to work on the case.

$5000 VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF IN THE TWOMBLY CASE

Jury Finds For Elmer E. Perrigo in His Suit Against Billerica Man Whom He Charged With Alienating His Wife's Affections

Edgar F. Twombly, former superintendent of streets in Billerica and a retired contractor, was today found guilty of alienating the affections of Elmer E. Perrigo's wife and a verdict of $5000 brought in against him by a superior court jury which has been hearing the case for nearly two weeks.

The suit was brought in two counts. The first charged a statutory offence and the second count alleged enticing. The jury had been instructed by the court that if it found for the plaintiff on the first count it was to disregard the second count, and it was on the first count that the jury found.

The trial, which has taken up more than two weeks, has been followed closely by a number of Billerica people who knew the principals in the case. While the actual evidence was completed Tuesday the case did not go to the jury until yesterday afternoon. The morning session was given over to arguments by counsel. Judge Cox consumed one hour and 50 minutes in making his charge to the jury. The jury then retired shortly after 3 o'clock and as the court adjourned until today it was necessary to bring in a sealed verdict.

VERY UNUSUAL TITLE INCLUDED IN PURCHASE OF LAND BY PATRICK J. COGGER

One of the most interesting and unusual land titles ever passed in Lowell is included in the sale, completed today, of a tract of land of 15 acres, by Joseph Bowers of Middlesex Village to Patrick J. Cogger.

The land thus transferred is part of the old Bowers farm that has frontage on Middlesex, Princeton, Wood and Westford streets and has come down through the years from about 1680 to become the property of the present owner, Joseph Bowers—now in his 80th year—without a specific deed setting forth its bounds. Also it is the first parcel of the property to go outside the limit sof the Bowers family, members of which have held it in direct descendency from the time it was a grant of the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

Originally the land was the property of Jerathmeel Bowers, who settled upon it about 1680 and at that time it was in the township of Chelmsford. In succession, upon the death of each owner, it passed from Jerathmeel to his son, Jonathan, from Jonathan to his son, William; from William to his son Joseph, from Joseph to his son, Sewall and from Sewall to his son, Joseph, the present owner, who has two sons, J. Walter and Jesse, both of whom have added another generation to the family.

In the opinion of James C. Warner, conveyancer, who handled the transaction for Mr. Cogger, it is one of the most unusual titles ever passed locally. In his researches in connection with the case, he came across most interesting historical data, particularly in the estate of Jonathan, son of Jerathmeel, who, when he died in 1756, owned one negro girl, Lydia by name, appraised at 100 pounds.

BOMB HURLED AT MILITARY CAR

Two Men and Two Women Wounded When Powerful Missile Exploded

Two Deputies on Way to Parliament Session in Dublin Shot—One Killed

CORK, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—A powerful bomb

TIMOTHY HEALY, Governor-General of Free State

was thrown at a military car this afternoon. This missile did not reach its mark, but exploded nearby, wounding two men and two women. The bomb thrower escaped

Ulster to "Contract Out"

BELFAST, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—Both houses of the Ulster parliament voted unanimously today to "contract out" of the Irish Free State, as permitted under the Anglo-Irish treaty.

Premier Sir James Craig stated in the house of commons that Ulster would not appoint a representative of the proposed commis-

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DE PALMA IS PEEVED

Only Inmate in Prison Not Convicted of Prohibition Law Violations

MODESTO, Cal., Dec. 7.—Ralph De Palma, noted race driver, serving in the Madera county jail for speeding, has only one complaint, he told Earl Cooper, another race driver who visited him there. De Palma is peeved, he declared, because he is the only inmate in the county prison not convicted of prohibition law violations.

FIRST TOUCH OF REAL WINTER WEATHER

Lowell had its first tiff with real winter weather of the near-zero variety this morning, the official glass on Broadway registering 8 above, the lowest of the season.

Plenty of frigida weather of about the same brand that frosted the window panes last evening and drove many pedestrians off the streets into the theatres, hotels and restaurants, or to the nearest cars for home, is expected for the remainder of the day, with rising temperatures predicted late this evening and diminishing winds becoming east and southeast, and then increasing again about tomorrow morning or a little before that.

Rain or snow is in the offing, the weather sharps say. Friday may bring snow changing to rain, with warmer weather by Friday night. Saturday we may have another rain storm, followed by clearing and colder by night, with strong easterly winds reaching possibly gale force.

Lowell isn't the coldest place on the weather map this morning. At Williston at midnight last evening it was just zero.

DISCUSS WORLD PEACE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Problems bearing on world peace were set for discussion by more than 30 speakers at the three days' conference on public opinion and world peace opening today under the auspices of the International Lyceum and Chautauqua association. Speakers for today's session included Prof. Irving Fisher, of Yale university, discussing "money, exchange and the depression of trade."

MRS. JOHN JACOB ROGERS

Lowell Woman on Tour of Hospital Inspection as President's Representative

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Mrs. John Jacob Rogers of Lowell, wife of Congressman Rogers, left last night for the Pacific coast and other far west points as personal representative of President Harding to investigate existing conditions in soldiers' hospitals in that section of the country. Mrs. Rogers was asked by the president

MRS. JOHN JACOB ROGERS

last spring to conduct such an investigation in the south and west, which she did to his great gratification.

Mrs. Rogers will be absent about six weeks on this trip and the president looks upon her as "his eyes and ears" and trusted personal representative in inspecting hospitals where soldiers are housed. Mrs. Rogers has temporarily laid aside her arduous work at the Walter Reed Military hospital here to do this later bidding of the president.

RICHARDS.

IMPORTANT TAX CASE

Court Rules Against Abatement Asked For by G. Thorndike Trull

Of particular importance to the Lowell board of assessors and tax officials of Massachusetts as it relates to the establishment of a precedent, is the finding handed down today by Judge Sisk of the superior court in the case of G. Thorndike Trull against the City of Lowell, a petition for the abatement of taxes, in which he holds that

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WILL FLOOD SHEDD AND WASHINGTON PARKS

Shedd park, Washington park, and the new Highland park in Stevens street will be flooded tonight for skating, according to a statement given out today by John W. Kernan, park superintendent.

Robert Gardner, superintendent of water works, said water would be available, but insists his department should receive some financial return.

Superintendent Kernan stated the parks have been ready to flood for several days, but claims he has not been able to get a definite answer from the water department head until today.

HUNT FOR MURDERESS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—The home of Ed T. ("Goldtooth") Johnson, promoter of a new resort at Tijuana, Lower California, was the objective today of the posse headed by Sheriff Traeger which left Los Angeles last night in search of Mrs. Clara Phillips, "hammer murderess" who broke jail Tuesday while under a 10 years' sen-

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SLIGHT EARTH SHOCK

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—A slight earth shock which lasted five seconds, was felt here last night.

BOYS WHO KILLED DOG IN CHELMSFORD ALLEGED TO HAVE FIRED SHOT AT YOUNG WOMAN

Frank J. Welch of this city, a 20-year-old youth, faced Judge John J. Pickman in district court this morning and pleaded guilty to an assault with a gun. He was held in $500 until tomorrow. The alleged assault was committed yesterday afternoon in Chelmsford about midway between North Chelmsford and Chelmsford Centre in a farmhouse district near McLarney's square.

According to the story told by Officer Fred F. Vinal of the Chelmsford police, he and Officer James F. Gookin were called to the scene of the alleged assault by Goldie G. Kirkeby, who claims that Welch fired a shot from a gun in her general direction as she was passing by a farmhouse.

When the officers arrived at an old,

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MRS. ROHRER SEEKS DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Mrs. William L. Rohrer, widow of the late Jake Hamon, who was killed by Clara Smith Hamon in Ardmore, Okla., yesterday filed suit for divorce from William Rohrer, investment banker, to whom she was married less than a year ago. She charged Rohrer with cruelty.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

WILL APPROVE ORDERS AGGREGATING $136,000

The city council tonight will approve orders appropriating $96,000 to the street department and $40,000 to the school department from the prior revenue and excess receipts accounts. These amounts are the recommendations of the committee on finance, which met last Monday night and decided to set up these two supplementary appropriations to allow the departments to function for the remainder of the year.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Exchanges, $610,000,000; balances, $71,000,000.

1923

Seventh Year of the Lowell Thrift Club

ENROLL NOW

25c, 50c, $1.00, $2.00, $5.00, $10.00, $20.00 WEEKLY

Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co.

Merrimack at Palmer Sts.

CHECKS FOR OUR 1922 Christmas Club

Will be mailed Dec. 15. Final payment is due this week.

1923 Christmas Club

Is now open for subscribers.

JOIN EARLY

MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK IN LOWELL INC. 1861

"Beware of the little expenses —A small leak will sink a great ship."—Franklin.

JOIN NOW

CHRISTMAS CLUB

AT THE

Lowell Institution for Savings

18 Shattuck St.

To The Public:

Out of respect for the father of this company

ORRIN B. RANLETT

We Will Close Our Store

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

RANLETT GROCERY CO.

The Bon Marché

SILK SHOP

Street Floor

Silks that suggest interesting Christmas gifts. The woman who is clever with her needle never hesitates about her Christmas list. These moderately priced silks offer excellent ideas for presents that will be appreciated.

Quality Merchandise Moderately Priced

ALL SILK BROADCLOTH—In white, especially adapted for men's fine shirts and women's blouses, 33 inches wide, **$1.98 Yard**

IMPORTED NATURAL JAPANESE PONGEE—33 inches wide, makes dainty underwear, handkerchiefs, shirts and draperies, will launder perfectly .....**$1.39 Yard**

DAINTY MAID SILK—For underwear, children's party dresses, coverings for puffs, a fine silk and cotton fabric, in plain colors, also dainty designs in pink, blue, gold and orchid, 36 inches wide, **89¢ Yard**

CORDUROY VELVET—33 inches wide, suitable for bathrobes, lounging robes and kimonos, 18 of the latest shades, **98¢ Yard**

FINE TUBULAR JERSEY SILK—36 inches wide, in plain and dropstitch weaves, for underwear, in pink, white and orchid .....**$1.25 Yard**

CHANGEABLE TAFFETA—36 inches wide, in a big color assortment, suitable for afternoon, evening and dance frocks .....**$1.69 Yard**

CHENEY'S SILKS—36 inches wide, firm, heavy quality, with pretty floral and butterfly designs, all silk..**$2.49 Yard**

FIBRE SILK TRICOLETTE FOR SCARFS—36 inches wide; colors, tangerine, honeydew, poppy, henna, Dutch blue and navy, **$1.75 Yard**

COTTON FABRICS

FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Mothers and children alike will be overjoyed with a dress pattern for their spring clothes. Ginghams, Percales, Voiles, Dimities and Crepes. Boxes if you wish for them, free of charge.

PERCALES—Extra fine count, 36 inches wide, for aprons, house dresses, in light and dark colors, **19¢ and 25¢ Yard**

FINE DRESS GINGHAMS—Peter Pan and Anderson fine ginghams, in checks, plaids and fine stripes, choice styles, warranted fast colors, **69¢ and 79¢ Yard**

PRINTED DIMITIES AND LINONS—Rosebud designs, also dotted, in light and dark colors, an extra fine quality, 36 inches wide .....**49¢ Yard**

COLORED JAP CREPES—30 inches wide, in all colors, for luncheon sets, children's dresses, fancy work, etc., **39¢ Yard**

NEW VOILES—Many new and choice designs, in figures, also stripes and plaids, light and dark colorings, for blouses and dresses, **59¢, 79¢, 98¢ Yard**

FINE MERCERIZED NAINSOOK—40 inches wide, extra fine, silky finish, for dainty underwear and children's dresses, comes in a nice box, 10-Yard Pieces.....**$3.90**

Street Floor

WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR

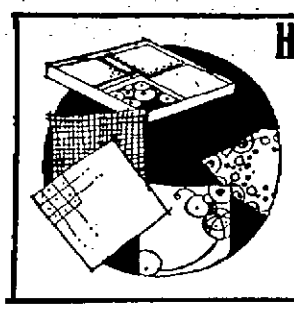
WOMEN'S UNION SUITS—Fine ribbed cotton, medium weight, **$2 and $2.25 Suit**

Women's Union Suits—Fine ribbed silk and wool, **$3 to $3.75 Suit**

Women's Union Suits—Fine ribbed, part wool, in different styles; regular prices $3 and $3.50, **$2.50 and $3 Suit**

Women's Vests—Fine ribbed cotton, medium weight, sleeveless, sizes 30 to 44. Very Special, each 75c

BOYS' UNION SUITS—Ribbed grey wool—
Sizes 4 to 10 years...**$1.65**
Sizes 10 to 16 years...**$2.25**



HANDKERCHIEF SHOP

MEN'S WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S

Street Floor

Handkerchiefs for Everybody

Gay bordered handkerchiefs, white ones, some cleverly embroidered—this colorful array offers a gift suggestion for all. If you're thinking of a tiny gift for a new acquaintance or an old one, our pretty "Hankies" will serve the purpose well.

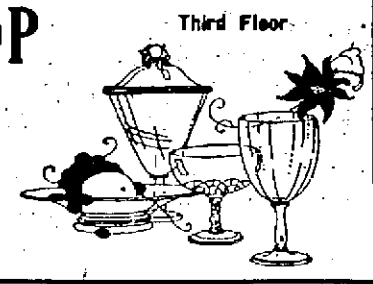
The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

Shop Early

STORE OPENS 8.45.—SATURDAY 9 A. M.

GIFT SHOP

Third Floor



In our gift shop we have the best and most desirable gift things that are made in this country as well as the beautiful and unusual from England, Holland, France, India, China, Japan, etc.

Take a stroll through this interesting shop.

FUR COATS AT SPECIAL PRICES

Twenty-Five Fur Coats

SECOND FLOOR

Raccoon, Seal MUSKRAT DYED Jap Mink and Black Muskrat

EVERY COAT GUARANTEED FOR ONE YEAR

These coats are at August prices. We have not advanced them although they are worth 25% more in today's market and we cannot get as good selected skins as are in these coats

NEAL SEAL COATS

Plain and skunk trimmed.

$189.50

Worth Today **$250.00**

RACCOON COATS

$149, $198, $210

Worth Today **$200.00 to $275.00**

HUDSON SEAL COATS

(Dyed Muskrat)

$298

Worth Today **$350.00**

Coats and Wraps--Fur Trimmed

MARVELLA, GERONA, FASHONA, LUSTROSA, MONTREY AND BOLIVIA. Trimmed with beautiful BEAVER, SQUIRREL, PLATINUM WOLF and CARACAL.

$57.50, $65.00, $75.00, $85.00, $98.50 $125.00, $139.50 and $149.50

We have made special efforts to select the most beautiful coats—the best materials—the best custom tailoring and the best linings. OVER ONE HUNDRED VALUES FOR DECEMBER SELLING.

SECOND FLOOR

POIRET TWILL DRESSES

We have reduced for this week-end's selling, one hundred Poiret Twill and Twill Cord Dresses. Misses' and women's sizes.

All Better Tailored Dresses

$15.00, $19.50, $25.00, $29.50, $35.00, $39.50

These are all better quality, better made dresses than you can find elsewhere at these prices. The regular prices were $10.00 to $20.00 higher. Come early for the values are as good as the big sale we had last week.

SECOND FLOOR

Fur Trimmed Wraps and Coats

Delisia, Normandy and Stevens Bolivia Coats, all silk lined, with Manchurian Wolf collars.

$39.50

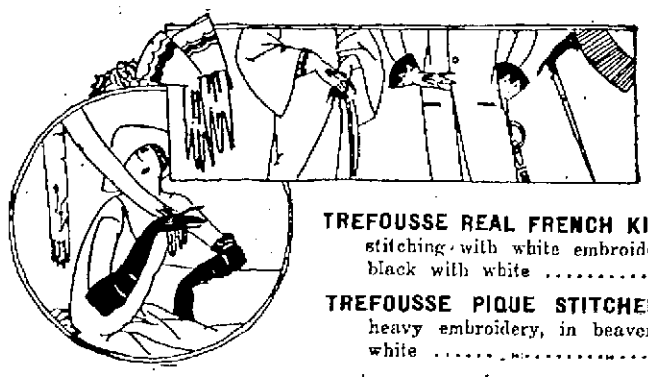
Well made, good fitting, smart, youthful styles. Coats made to sell for $49.50. About 50 in the lot.

Second Floor

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S GLOVE SHOP

STREET FLOOR

MOST EVERY WOMAN PUTS GLOVES ON HER CHRISTMAS LIST—And she does it with a deep, down hope that her wish will come true, for she definitely plans on finding at least one or two pair under the tree and postpones buying for herself accordingly.



TREFOUSSE REAL FRENCH KID GLOVES—2-clasp, in mode, gray, beaver, white and black with white stitching..... **$2.15 Pair**

TREFOUSSE REAL FRENCH KID GLOVES—1-clasp with pique stitching with white embroidery, in brown, gray, white and black with white ..... **$3.00 Pair**

TREFOUSSE PIQUE STITCHED GLOVES—Pearl clasp with heavy embroidery, in beaver, brown, gray and black with white ..... **$3.75 Pair**

French Suede Gloves—With strap wrist, in pearl gray with white embroidery and white cuffs. Beaver with brown embroidery with brown cuffs. Brown with beaver embroidery and beaver cuffs, **$5.50 Pr.**

Gauntlet Gloves—In beaver and brown, black, with heavy embroidery, **$4.50 and $5.50 Pair**

Gantlet Gloves—In beaver and brown, **$3.75 and $4.00 Pair**

Trefousse Gloves—16-button, real French kid, in white ..... **$6.75 Pair**

Trefousse Gloves—12-button, real French pique gloves with heavy embroidered backs, in white, black, brown and black with white..... **$6.00 Pair**

Strap Wrist Mocha Gloves—In gray, beaver and brown.... **$3.50 and $5.50 Pair**

Mocha Gloves—1-clasp, knit wool lined, **$5.00 Pair**

Women's and Children's Hosiery Shop

STREET FLOOR

SPECIAL HOSIERY OPPORTUNITIES SUGGEST THAT YOU GIVE IT AS GIFTS—The attractive designs of the past seasons have made Hosiery such a popular Christmas gift that we are glad to announce very special values for those who plan to give this year. **RIGHT QUALITY HOSIERY IS HERE AT RIGHT PRICES.**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE
Full fashioned, in black, **$1.50 to $4.50 Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE
Full fashioned, in colors. **$1.50 to $3.50 Pair**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Silk embroidered front, also side clocks and lace inserts, all full fashioned, **$2.50 to $6.00 Pair**

WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE—In silk and wool, full fashioned, plain and some embroidered..... **$2.25 to $3.50 Pair**

WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE—Full fashioned..... **$2.50, $3, $4 Pair**

WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE—Fine wool and silk and wool..... **$1.25 to $2.50 Pair**

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE—Full fashioned, **50¢, 75¢ and $1.00 Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Mercerized lisle, full fashioned..... **75¢, $1.00, $1.25 Pair**

CHILDREN'S SPORT HOSE—Ribbed, **85¢, $1.00, $1.15 Pair**

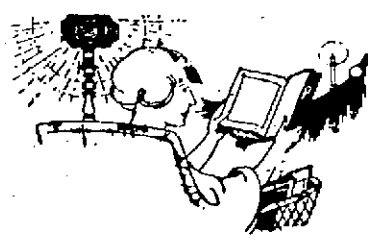
CHILDREN'S HOSE—Mercerized ribbed lisle, in black, white, cordovan and Russian, **50¢ and 60¢ Pair**

INFANTS' CASHMERE HOSE—Ribbed with silk heels and toes..... **50¢ Pair**

INFANTS' HOSE—Silk and wool, **75¢ Pair**

Book and Stationery Shop

STREET FLOOR



Pay a visit to this newly added shop, where you will find books for all by the most famous authors and a complete line of Xmas stationery to meet the requirements of everybody's pocketbook.

The HOOVER

It BEATS... as it Sweeps as it Cleans

Any day, at your leisure, we will gladly show you how The Hoover beats, as it sweeps, as it cleans, electrically.

Our Demonstration Table is maintained for your convenience. There is no obligation.

The Hoover is sold on divided payments.

Demonstration Table—Main Floor

TOY SHOP

BASEMENT SECTION

Little Boy, little Girl, come to Toyland,
Down in our Basement to Wonderland,
Where blocks to build castles are shiny and red,
And for each darling doll there's a dear little bed.
Oh! Toyland, my dears, is a wonderful place,
Lighted up all around with Santa Claus' face.

FIERCE FIGHT IN COUNTY CORK

200 Irregulars Seize Barracks at Ballymakeers, Near Macroom—One Killed

Attack Took Place at Same Time That Free State Deputies Were Taking Oath

CORK, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) Two hundred rebels captured the barracks at Ballymakeera, near Macroom, yesterday, killing one man and wounding 1h. The attack took place at almost the same time that the deputies of the new Irish Free State were being sworn in at Dublin.

The rebels took 90 prisoners, including Commandant Mooney, after a fight lasting several hours, but released them after taking all their equipment.

The fight was the fiercest yet reported in County Cork. Before advancing on the barracks, the irregulars captured an armored car at Bandon, which they used, together with 20 machine guns and bombs in their attack on the troops defending the village.

The Free State Military was eventually outnumbered and was forced to surrender. The irregulars appropriated all the arms and ammunition in sight and then marched their prisoners into the mountains. Inasmuch as the men captured have since reported for duty, it is believed that the rebels found difficulty in detaining such a large number in the sparsely populated mountain districts.

Ballymakeera is now occupied by the Nationals.

JOS. M. DINNEEN
Optometrist Optician
206 Bradley Bldg. 147 Central St.
TELEPHONE 1043

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

With so many splendid gifts in every shop—there is little wonder that mother wants to spend more time this year in choosing them.

It takes hours to mix bread—set it and watch it while it bakes. This time may all be saved for Christmas Shopping—it takes but a moment to

Say Betsy Ross
It's Delicious Bread

Bomb Hurled at Military Car

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sion to fix the boundary between Ulster and the Free State, nor would she be interested in the commission in any way.

Two Deputies Shot

DUBLIN, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—President Cosgrave announced to the parliament this afternoon, that Deputy Sean Hales had been shot and killed and Deputy Patrick O'Maille, who was deputy speaker, had been wounded while they were on their way to the parliament session. The two victims of the shooting, were on a jaunting car proceeding along the quays when they were attacked with revolvers.

Deputy Speaker O'Maille's wound is serious.

After President Cosgrave's announcement, Minister of Defense Mulcahy rose and said: "These men did not have a priest, nor were they asked if they would see their relatives."

All the members of the parliament rose as a mark of sympathy.

O'Maille was elected deputy speaker by the Dail, or lower house of the Free State parliament at yesterday's session, when the members took the oath of allegiance.

Hales was returned from South Cork in the last parliamentary elections.

King May Go to Dublin

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) The suggestion that King George may go to Dublin to open formally the new Irish parliament, as advanced by the Liverpool Courier, seems based partly on surmise and partly on rumors.

Although the possibility of the king's presence has taken no definite shape, it is safe to say that if Ireland intimated such a visit would be welcome, the sovereign would acquiesce. It is regarded as quite unlikely, however, that his majesty would take the initiative in the matter.

According to a Dublin report, King George sent a remarkable message to Timothy Healy, the new governor-general, to which Healy is said to have replied. These messages, the report said, will probably be first given to the public by the governor-general in an announcement in the parliament.

It is understood that Mr. Healy is soon to come to London for an audience with the king whom, it is believed, he did not see in connection with his appointment to office. It is customary, although not legally necessary that the governors of the British dominions be received in audience upon their appointment, when the ancient formality of kissing the king's hand is observed as an evidence of fealty.

DEATHS

KILBURN—Henry Whitman Kilburn, M.D., a former resident of this city, died suddenly in Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 3. Dr. Kilburn was the only son of John Kilburn, who at one time was the agent of the Lawrence Manufacturing Co. At that time, Henry W. Kilburn was a student at Harvard. Dr. Kilburn traveled and studied extensively in Europe after his graduation, and was an eye specialist in Boston for some time, where he practiced until recently. Dr. Kilburn was well known to many of the older residents of the city.

TONKS—Mrs. M. Louise Tonks, a former resident of this city, died Thursday, Nov. 30, at her home in Daytona, Fla. She is survived by her husband, Arthur W., of Daytona; one son, Gerald of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. Mary E. Henry and Miss Cora A. McGauvran of this city, and four brothers, Edward, Peter, William and Frank of Lowell.

Burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Announcemtn later.

LOCKWOOD—Mrs. Jennie (Devoe) Lockwood died last evening at her home, 190 West Sixth street, after a short illness, aged 54 years. She leaves her husband, Loran Lockwood; three daughters, Mrs. Theodore Thibodeau of Nova Scotia, Mrs. Harold Tilton of Franklin, N. H., and Mrs. Norman Comeau of this city; one son, Wilfred Lockwood of Salem; two brothers, Theodore Devoe of Nova Scotia and John Devoe of Minneapolis, Minn., and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Power of Everett and Mrs. James Surette of Nova Scotia.

BELANGER—Joseph Belanger died this morning at his home, 94 Ford street, aged 77 years. He was ill but a few days and his passing will be regretted by his many friends. He leaves four daughters, Mrs. Corinne Tellier of Canada and the Misses Exilda, Cora and Della Belanger of this city; one son, Frank Belanger, also of this city; three brothers, Louis of Canada and Narcisse and Israel of Cohoes, N. Y.; two sisters, Miss Exilda Belanger and Mrs. Euphemie Roberge, both of Canada.

TZAKOS—Charles Tzakos, beloved son of Arthur and Para Tzakos died this morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged eight years, 10 months, 23 days. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

BUNCE—The funeral of Mrs. Rose M. Bunce took place yesterday afternoon at the home in Bridge street, Chelmsford, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. E. C. Bartlett, a former pastor of the Central Congregational church, assisted by Rev. Charles H. Ellis of the Central Baptist church. There were many beautiful floral offerings. The bearers were Robert Polley, Amos Polley, Walter D. Falls, Thomas Grey, Fred F. Wiggin and Irvin E. Smith. Burial was in Fairview cemetery, Westford. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Perham.

O'GRADY—The body of Catherine O'Grady, who died at St. John's hospital Tuesday, was forwarded yesterday afternoon by Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons to Rochester, N. Y., where services will be held Friday and burial will take place in St. Rose's cemetery.

HUTCHINSON—The funeral of Charles Parker Hutchinson took place yesterday afternoon from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Services were conducted by Rev. Thomas Laite of the First Evangelical church. The bearers were George Hutchinson, Frank and Walter Hutchinson, sons of the deceased, and Archie Craits, son-in-law. There were many floral offerings. Burial was in the family lot in Coburn cemetery in Pelham. George W. Eastman had charge of the funeral arrangements.

SUPRENANT—The funeral of Israel Suprenant took place this morning, at 10 o'clock from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. The bearers were E. W. Walden, Fred Marcotte, Victor Lefebre and Joseph Lee. The burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

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HEARING ON TRANSFER OF POLLING BOOTH

The election commission has set next Tuesday evening as a time for a hearing on a petition filed by residents of Pawtucketville to transfer the polling booth for precinct 3 of ward 7 from its present location in Riverside street near Moody to the Pawtucket school in Mammoth road.

The hearing will be held in the council chamber and is set for 8 p. m. It will be attended by the full board and all persons interested will be notified in advance of the time and place.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CARPENTIER—The funeral of Mrs. Victorine Carpentier will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 17 Hall street. Solemn high funeral mass will be sung in St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock to which friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. Arrangements in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

RANLETT—Died in this city, Dec. 6, at 353 Wilder street, Orrin B. Ranlett, aged 77 years. Funeral services will be held at 353 Wilder street Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial private. Undertaker W. Herbert Blake in charge.

LINDQUIST—Died in this city Dec. 5, at 273 High street, George W. Lindquist, aged 47 years 7 months and 12 days. Private funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Undertaker William H. Saunders in charge.

TONKS—Died Nov. 30, in Daytona, Fla., Mrs. M. Louise Tonks. Funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where services will be held at 3 o'clock. On Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock a requiem mass will be sung at St. Michael's church for the repose of her soul. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MASS NOTICE

SARGENT—There will be an anniversary high mass of requiem Saturday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Michael's church for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Catherine B. Sargent.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Patrick O'Callaghan and Miss Bridget Elizabeth Hyde were married in St. Patrick's parochial residence Wednesday evening, Nov. 29, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. J. McGarry, D.D., pastor. The bride was attended by Miss Norah Murphy of Lexington and the best man was Mr. Michael O'Callaghan, a brother of the bridegroom. The couple will make their home at 35 Varney street.

Hunt For Murderess

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tence for killing Mrs. Alberta Meadows.

Johnson was said to have formed a friendship for Mrs. Phillips while he was in the county jail last summer. He was taken into custody last night pending developments in the search for Mrs. Phillips.

The sheriff's office announced early today it had received a telegram from Sheriff Pinrock at Ogden, Utah, stating he was positive Mrs. Phillips was aboard a train which passed through Ogden shortly after midnight.

That train and one other were searched at Laramie, Wyo., but no one answering the description of Mrs. Phillips was found.

It had been reported from other sources also that she and a blonde friend boarded the train at Long Beach, Cal., and throughout the trip had kept to their stateroom.

It also was declared the women were traveling on tickets reading from Long Beach, Cal., to Baltimore, Md.

Other reports reaching the sheriff's office came from Omaha, where it was said police officers believed Mrs. Phillips had been seen last night on a train bound for Chicago, but it was said this was impossible "unless she had fled in an airplane."

Wholesale Delivery Plot

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—Six saws were found in the possession of E. A. McNabb, held in the Los Angeles county jail on three criminal charges, according to Mark Bailey, jailer. The saws were discovered in a search after the escape of Mrs. Clara Phillips when a rumor reached the jailer that other prisoners were plotting a wholesale delivery.

FORD RUNS 57 MILES ON GALLON OF GASOLINE

A new automatic vaporizer and decarbonizer, which in actual test has increased the power and mileage of Fords from 26 to 50 per cent. and at the same time removes every particle of carbon from the cylinders, is the proud achievement of John A. Stransky, 3155 South Main street, Pukwana, South Dakota. A remarkable feature of this simple and inexpensive device is that its action is governed entirely by the motor. It is slipped between the carburetor and intake manifold and can be installed by anyone in five minutes without drilling or tapping. With it attached, Ford cars have made from 40 to 57 miles on one gallon of gasoline. Mr. Stransky wants to place a few of these devices on cars in this territory and has a very liberal offer to make to anyone who is able to handle the business which is sure to be created wherever this marvelous little device is demonstrated. If you want to try one entirely at his risk, send him your name and address today.—Adv.

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SUPERIOR CORNED BEEF
Fancy Lean Stickers—Whole, lb. ..... 11¢
Choice Thick Ribs—Whole, lb. ..... 12¢
Selected Fancy Briskets—Whole, lb. ..... 14¢
STEAK TOP ROUND SIRLOIN VEIN lb. 25c
From Good Quality Beef
Young Fatted Roosters, lb. 32c | Fresh Killed FOWL, lb. 35c
TURKEYS, lb., 32c, 35c, 50c, 55c
FANCY 2-Lb. CHICKENS, cut in half, lb. 29¢
CHUCK ROLLS, Clear Meat, for Oven or Pot Roast, lb.... 15c
FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATOES 15-Lb. Peck... 25c
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TURKS MUST MAKE CHOICE

To Decide Whether Turkey Will Cast Lot With Russia or With Entente Powers

To Submit Plan for Control of the Dardanelles to Lausanne Conference

LAUSANNE, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) The Turkish delegates to the Near East conference today faced the difficult problem of deciding whether Turkey, in formulating her plan for control of the Dardanelles, should cast her lot with Russia or with the entente powers and the United States. Turkey's suggestions for the solution of the perplexing straits question, will be made public tomorrow.

Ismet Pasha and his associates, in formulating their plans, were confronted by the sharp differences in opinion between Great Britain and Russia in the discussion of the Dardanelles question. If Turkey, on the one hand, goes over to the British camp, she fears the irate Russian army on her eastern frontier; if, on the other hand, she sides with Russia in demanding complete control of the waterway, she fears the British navy in the straits.

The Turks were greatly impressed by the plan presented by Lord Curzon yesterday on behalf of the entente, which was approved in general by the statement of the position of the United States.

The Turks apparently cannot forget that Russia is Turkey's traditional enemy and that Premier Lenine's government may not be less covetous of Constantinople and the Straits than was Russia in the days of the czars.

Turkey has always found protection in numbers. She has played the European countries against each other to her great advantage time and again and she hesitates to trust her fate to Russia alone while the rest of Europe, supported by the United States, opposes an effort to turn the Black sea into a Russian lake.

HALL-MILLS MURDER

Banker, Believed to Have Been Eye-Witness to Murders to Be Questioned

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 7.—Detective David of Middlesex county, announced today that he planned to question a New Brunswick banker who he believes may have been an eye-witness to the murder of the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor R. Mills on Sept. 11.

According to David, the banker has been questioned at least twice, but refused to confirm or deny the story that he was on Phillips' farm on the night of the crime. David would not indicate why he wanted to question him further.

Mysterious Car Found

According to detectives, the mysterious green car which Mrs. Jane Gibson said she saw on De Bussey's lane the night of the murder has been discovered. They asserted that, while the banker mentioned is not the owner of the machine, they declared he had an arrangement with the owner by which he could use it whenever he desired.

The investigators said they believed the banker had witnessed the shootings. They declared that his story would corroborate Mrs. Gibson's statement in many respects.

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MISS BIRKHEAD AGAIN ON STAND

Star Witness in Her $100,000 Damage Suit Against Gov. Russell

Girl Accuses Mississippi Executive of Seduction and Other Serious Charges

OXFORD, Miss., Dec. 7.—Miss Frances Birkhead, a star witness yesterday in her $100,000 damage suit against Lee M. Russell, governor of Mississippi, based on charges of seduction and other serious allegations, faced an additional period on the witness stand in federal court here today. She just had entered upon cross-examination when court adjourned yesterday.

Governor Russell preceded the young woman on the stand and was examined briefly, having been called by plaintiff counsel as an adverse witness. He denied all the charges contained in Miss Birkhead's petition and declared he had not stated in the presence of former Governor Theo G. Bilbo, of Mississippi, that he was responsible for her condition, or that he had requested Mr. Bilbo to make an effort to have the matter settled. The governor is expected to be called to the stand later by his counsel.

An attachment has been issued directing Mr. Bilbo to appear as a witness.

VISITORS COMING TO TEXTILE SCHOOL

The Lowell Textile school will be honored with a visit tomorrow morning from members of the Merrimack Valley school superintendents' Round Table, who will be taken on a tour of inspection of the school by Principal Charles H. Eames. Dinner will be served at 12.30 at the Middlesex County Training school, North Chelmsford, following which Principal Eames and Prof. Louis A. Olney, head of the chemistry department of the Textile school, will address the gathering on "Opportunities Afforded at the Textile School."

SOMERVILLE BOY ELECTED

ANNANDALE-on-HUDSON, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Martin B. White of Somerville, Mass., has been elected captain of the football team at St. Stephen's college for 1923. He is a halfback.

SCHOONER TOTAL LOSS

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 7.—The 50-ton schooner Mary A., of North Sydney, wrecked yesterday on the Grand River bar, today was reported a total loss. The crew was reported to have been rescued.

COUZENS TAKES OATH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—James Couzens, Detroit, appointed by Governor Groesbeck of Michigan to succeed former Senator Newberry, took the oath of office today in the senate.

Young Woman Shot At

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unoccupied farm-house, they discovered a pool of blood on the snow and saw a bloody trail that led from the roadside up over a field to the house. The officers followed the trail to the back door of the house. Here they found another large pool. The house was deserted. The policemen went to the next house and there they claim to have found Welch and another boy, a juvenile, who will be brought before the juvenile court tomorrow. When asked about the trail of blood the officers claim the boys admitted killing a dog. The dog was later found near the roadside where the boys are said to have dragged it. The dog, an airedale, is the property of A. B. Cameron of this city.

According to the officers they said Miss Kirkeby was walking home from a visit to a neighboring house shortly before 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. As she neared the house where the boys were located she heard a shot fired. She then claims to have heard one of the boys say, "Load it up again; we missed her that time." As far as can be found out no other shots were fired from the gun, which was a 12-gauge, single-shotgun.

Both Officer Vinal and Officer Gookin say the house where the boys have been hanging around of late has been sort of a gathering place for a gang of youthful thugs.

Complaints about dogs being killed by boys in North Chelmsford reached Agent Richardson of the Lowell Humane society yesterday afternoon. He investigated and struck the right trail, but the officers had already found the boys alleged to be responsible for the dog killing and gun firing.

Important Tax Case

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four automobile trucks, the property of the plaintiff, have been properly assessed.

In the proper course of events the Lowell assessors placed an assessment against the four trucks in question, holding they were commercial vehicles. Mr. Trull asked for an abatement on the grounds that the trucks were farm implements and therefore, tax exempt. The board refused to grant the abatement and Mr. Trull brought civil action through his attorney, Larkin T. Trull. The case was tried before Judge Sisk at the recent jury-waived session in this city, with Edward J. Tierney, representing the city.

When advised of the court's decision, Larkin T. Trull stated he would ask for a review of the case before the full bench of the supreme court.

While the amount of money involved in the case—hardly more than $100—is inconsequential, the precedent that would be established is far-reaching in importance, according to tax officials.

A. B. Fales, state director of the division of local taxation, has expressed great interest in the case, inasmuch as similar requests for abatements have come to his notice from large truck farm operators in towns neighborly to Boston, where many automobile trucks are owned.

City Solicitor Tierney feels the city has won a most important case and points to the fact that it is the second to be so judged this year. The other was the famous Frank Hanchett tax case.

$6300 Stolen From Registered Letters

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Seven registered letters each containing $1000, sent to the Havana branch of the National City bank of New York, were rifled aboard the steamer Pastores during a trip between New York city and Havana, according to allegations filed by the government in the federal court here today, seeking to recover $15,000 damages from the United Fruit Co., owners of the vessel. A total of $6300 was stolen from the letters, the government claims. It was charged that the entire contents of five letters were removed while items of $700 and $600 were taken from the two remaining.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

NEW IDEAS IN THE STUDY OF PSYCHOLOGY

The development of personality and the dynamic forces that aid in such development were explained in a discussion that touched upon so-called "new ideas in the study of psychology," yesterday at the State Normal school, Albert L. Stafford, superintendent of schools in Reading, being the speaker of the afternoon. The lecture is one of two to be given under the general heading of "Dynamics of Personality." Supt. Safford will deliver on Monday next instead of Wednesday, another talk on "Sources of Power."

The speaker yesterday was introduced by Principal Clarence W. Weed and said in part:

"No individual responds in the same way to situations. Everybody's character leads them to respond in their own way. The study of development of personality along this line in its broad sense is something new and marks an epoch of psychology. The new theory deals with the way the individual acts and with what he does. By 'dynamic' we mean the 'moving force.' The significant thing to look for is what he does and the way he responds to the situations in which he finds himself. We are not complete in ourselves, but in the way we respond to contacts we make life complete. The development of the individual comes under three heads relative to other individuals; relative to making the world better for the next generation, and relative to having to do with the infinite."

The speaker traced the development of the child from the stage of dependence to independence, from interest first in the mother, then later to the father and still later in others. In this development, the speaker said, the child lost its selfishness as he came more in contact with others.

Referring to education and its fruits, the speaker said:

"There are two aspects in life that must be harmonized. We are apt to think of education as the things we learn, when education really consists of the use we make of our information. It is not what we learn, it is what we do with it."

The speaker said the "next great step in developing the children will be our understanding of our pupils, the emotional side of life being taken much account of." There are people today, he said, who are mentally sick, which is a phase that was not considered seriously. People have also been called nervous, when they are really mentally sick. By being so means that some characteristic, which we all have, has in the person so affected become exaggerated.

NEW CITY DIRECTORY

The publishers of the City Directory, Sampson & Murdock Co., announce the completion of their canvass for the 1923 directory, their seventy-second volume. Any who have moved or who fear they may have been overlooked should send their names, with present and previous addresses, to the book and stationery store of G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., who will forward all such communications to the publishers.

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POST 185, G. A. R. ELECTS OFFICERS

A feature of last evening's meeting of Post 185, G.A.R., which took place in the quarters of the organization in the Auditorium was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Franklin S. Pevey, commander; Albert L. Gilman, senior vice-commander; George E. Bryant, junior vice-commander; Charles M. Bixby, officer of guard; Reuben Salls, surgeon; Coburn S. Smith, chaplain. An invitation to attend a Christmas tree celebration under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans on Dec. 22 at Memorial hall was accepted.

FAIRBURN EMPLOYES HAVE THEATRE PARTY

The employes of Fairburn's Market, Inc., were the guests of their popular employer at Keith's Theatre, Tuesday evening. Just before theatre time all assembled at the market, and under the direction of Clarence Fairburn and James Stapleton, manager, they proceeded to Keith's theatre, where seats in the centre of the house were reserved for them. The show was thoroughly enjoyed and things were livened a bit by frequent quips from the performers pertaining to the market men. After the show the market men were loud in their praise for the kindness and thoughtfulness of their employer, Mr. Fairburn.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

At a recent meeting of the American Legion auxiliary of North Chelmsford the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Elizabeth Miner, president; Mrs. Marion Johnson, senior vice president; Mrs. Dorothy Russell, junior vice president; Mrs. Adeline Carll, secretary; Mrs. Edith Sargent, treasurer; Mrs. Hodge, chaplain; Mrs. Howitt Adams, historian; Misses Bernadette Gladu and Anna Cummings, color bearers; Miss Josephine McEnaney, press committee; Miss Ethel Booth, door guard; Miss Grace Cummings, Miss Gertrude Picard and Mrs. Bessie Robinson, executive committee.

"You Can Do It Better With Gas"

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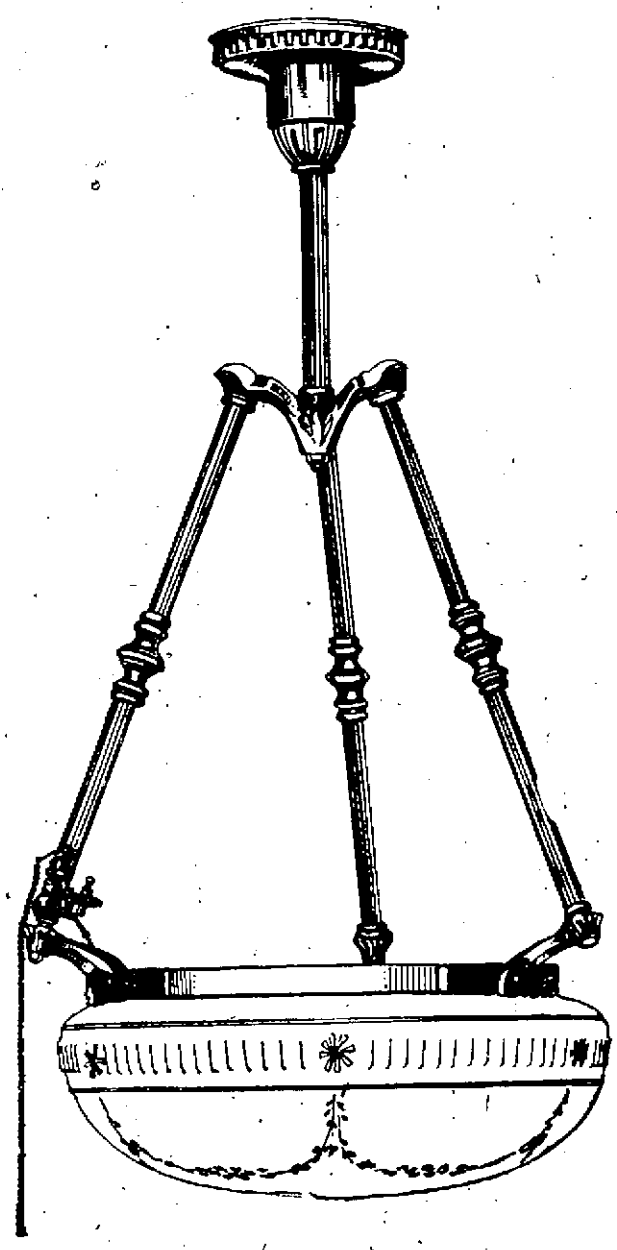

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High Grade SHOES
Black Vici, Glazed Grain, Tan Calf and Black Velour

The opportunity of the season! Every dollar you put in these shoes gives you one dollar and one-half in VALUE! Prices are down to a rock bottom basis—cost ignored—profits sacrificed! See the SHOES DISPLAYED in OUR WINDOWS—and you will realize the Savings.

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This offer answers all who are still wondering about lower prices. Determined to set the pace, HARRISON offers these lower price values that compel every man who needs NEW FOOTWEAR to take notice and share in this SALE.

Other Good Quality SHOES $3.50

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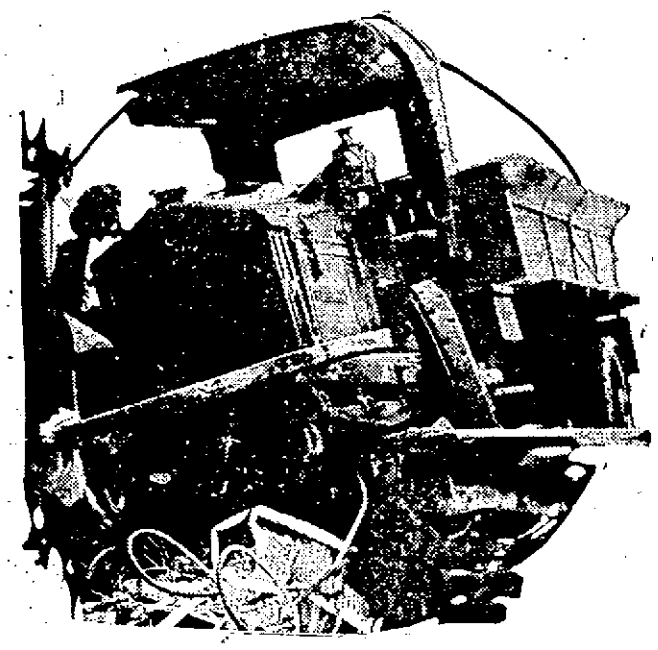
166 CENTRAL STREET

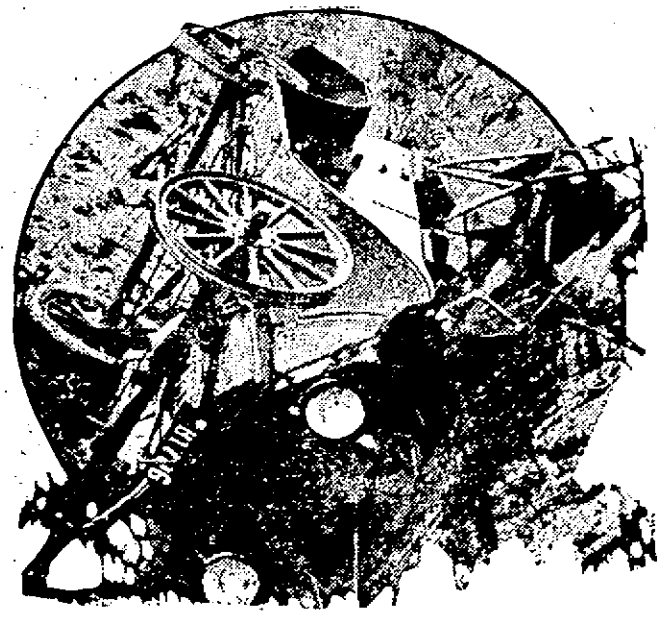
Auto Deaths
13,000
Per Year

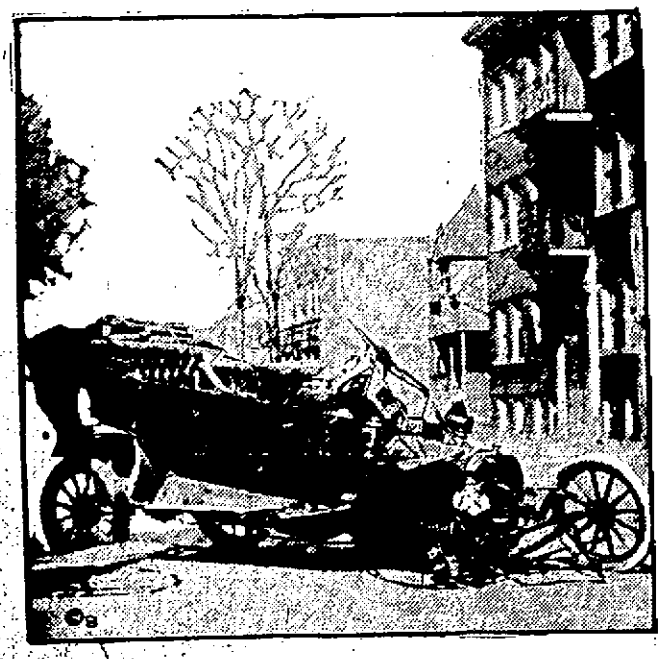
One Person Killed Every Forty Minutes is Auto Toll

Auto Injuries
40,000
Per Year

A Picture Story







Automobile accidents kill one person on an average every 40 minutes, or 36 a day, on America's highways and streets. While you are reading this article at least two Americans will be injured in motor accidents.

More Americans than were killed in the World war are being killed and injured in automobile mishaps this year. The total toll will be about 13,000 persons killed and approximately 40,000 injured—many of these maimed for life.

One-third of these will be children, not yet 15 years old. Nine-tenths will be pedestrians run down by autoists.

Figures compiled for The Sun by N. E. A. Service in a nation-wide survey, show that in 1921, lives of 11,024 persons were snuffed out by automobiles; and aproximately 36,000 pere injured. These figures, compiled from vital statistics records of each state, represent the most complete check ever made of the American juggernaut's fearful harvest.

Motor fatalities will kill more people this year than typhoid, malaria and smallpox combined. They will exceed the deaths from appendicitis and equal diphtheria fatalities—and in most cases, they could have been avoided.

And instead of decreasing or remaining stationary, the percentage of automobile fatalities is steadily increasing, despite all efforts to regulate traffic.

Fatalities on Increase

Increase in automobile traffic and corresponding increase in the percentage of automobile fatalities per 100,000 population is shown in figures for cities and counties where accurate statistics are kept. Figures for these localities show that:

In 1917, with 4,383,340 automobiles licensed, there were 6724 deaths in auto accidents, or a death rate from this cause of 9.0 per 100,000 population.

With 6,116,617 automobiles in 1918, there were 7525 fatalities, or 9.3 per 100,000.

Autos numbered 7,588,348 in 1919. There were 7968 persons killed, or 9.4 per 100,000.

In 1920, with 9,211,296 automobiles licensed, there were 9103 fatalities or 10.4 per 100,000 population.

There were 10,448,382 licensed automobiles operating in the United States in 1921. In the United States census bureau's registration area, which contains 82 per cent of the nation's population, there were 10,168 deaths, or 11.5 per 100,000 population.

> Automobiles yearly kill more Americans than typhoid, malaria and smallpox combined.
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> Automobile accidents cause an annual property loss of a billion dollars a year. Since 1917, the destruction by automobiles has totaled nearly one-half the huge sum America spent during the World war.
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> And authorities agree that nearly all of this loss of life, limb and property is preventable.

Between 1917 and 1921, therefore, the death rate per 100,000 population from motor vehicle accidents increased about 28 per cent.

This year, there are nearly 11,000,000 motor vehicles running in the streets and roads of the United States. Everything points to the highest automobile death toll in history, the greatest record of violent death from any single cause except war.

California Leads

California shows the greatest number of automobile fatalities per 100,000 population, and one of her cities, Los Angeles, has the highest automobile death rate of any American city of more than 100,000. There were 589 fatalities in California last year, or 24.1 deaths per 100,000 population. Los Angeles' rate is 27.9, with 170 fatalities last year. This was a decrease from 24.4 in 1920 for California, and an increase for Los Angeles from 27.1.

Mississippi has the lowest record for auto deaths, the rate being 2.7 per 100,000. South Carolina is second with 4.5.

Despite all their traffic police, their safety commissions and their other efforts to minimize accidents, the large cities present the highest death rate. Compared with the national death rate of 11.5 per 100,000 population, the death rate in 65 American cities last year was 15.6. The safest city in the United States is New Bedford, Mass. It decreased its automobile fatalities from 16 in 1918 to half that number in 1921, or 6.4 per 100,000.

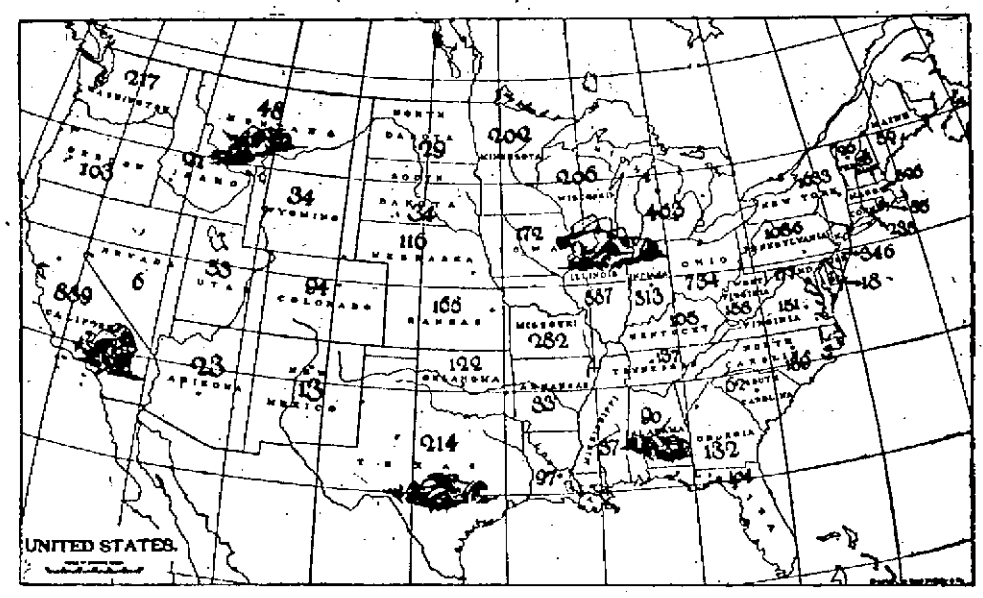
New York state, with 1633 auto deaths in 1921, shows a death rate of 16.4. In the first nine months of 1922, the Empire state had 1218 fatalities. New York city's fatalities in 1921 totalled 896, or 15.6 per 100,000 residents, with 701 deaths up to October 1 as the 1922 toll.

Cities with the highest ratio of automobile fatalities, following Los Angeles, are: Youngstown, O., 21.3 per 100,000; Kansas City, 20.8; Chicago, 20.3; Albany, N. Y., 20; Bridgeport, Conn., 19.5; Lowell, Mass., 19.3.

"Accurate Count Impossible"

"Yearly deaths from highway traffic accidents are variously estimated at from 12,000 to 35,000," declares William P. Eno, international traffic authority. "I doubt that even official figures give a true picture of the extent of auto fatalities.

"As a matter of fact, there is no means of making an acurate count, because many of those who ultimately die from traffic accidents get home, out of town or to a hospital, and all records of the cause of the death are often lost. It is not unlikely that the total number of deaths from highway traffic is 36,000 per year, or about 100 every day."



This map of the United States shows the number of fatal automobile accidents in each state during 1921. It was compiled for The Lowell Sun by NEA Serivce from the mortality records of the states—the most comprehensive survey of America's auto death harvest that has ever been made.

Dandelions in Blossom in Columbus

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 7.—With the west in the grip of below zero weather and with northern Ohio experiencing sleet and ice storms, dandelions were in blossom in Columbus today, and many bushes contained buds, following several days of unusually mild December weather.

17 Driven Into Street by Fire in Boston

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Fire in a four story brick apartment building in the West End drove 17 scantily attired persons into the street, early today. Several women and children were carried down ladders to safety by firmen. The fire started in an overheated furnace, and spread quickly. Smoke-filled hallways forced tenants to flee by way of the fire escapes. Sam Seronick, was burned about the head in rescuing his father and mother. None was seriously hurt. The damage was slight.

Record in Freight Movements

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Freight movement which has been abnormally heavy for several weeks, is still setting new seasonal records, according to reports made public today by the car service division of the American Railway Association. In the week which ended Nov. 25, railroads loaded 955,495 cars, 292,000 more than in the same week of 1921, and 151,000 more than in 1920.

NO IMMEDIATE ADVANCE IN PRICE OF MILK

The price of 13 cents per quart for bottled milk in Lowell and vicinity will remain unchanged until Jan. 1, 1923.

There has been no real attempt made by anyone to boost the price to 14 cents this month, and no meeting of any of the distributing or producing committees has been held recently.

"Reports that a meeting to discuss raising prices was held last evening, are certainly untrue. There has been no such meeting called and none asked for," said J. E. Moody of the Turner Centre Creamery Co.

Mr. Moody said further, that with the prices of grain remaining stationary, although they are still higher than they were some months ago, there have been no protests from farmers and producers in any quarter of the Lowell district regarding the present wholesale price paid to the producers of milk, and the 13-cent retail price will not be changed for the present.

That was the frank opinion today of several other well known producers and local distributors of milk covering the Lowell trade. There has been nary an important protest against present prices, and wholesalers are, for the most part, fairly well satisfied for the present with the way the market is "holding its own."

Some producers are said to feel that if a demand is made for 14-cent milk at this time, with householders having worries about coal problems for one thing apart from the milk question, it might not "go well." But what really blocks any price-advance idea at the present time, if the truth must be told, said one farmer who raises a lot of milk for Lowell distribution, is the fact that grain prices are now stationary after the short and sharp advances of some time ago.

There has been no formal agreement made lately to continue the present price of 13 cents (retail), but that is to be done just the same, and, so far as known today, no producer is seriously thinking of registering any kicks against this unofficial program for the December trades.

Present prices of grain are stationary, although some are fully $10 and $12 a thousand per ton weight higher than they were six months ago. The big advance came during the early fall, when the farmers began to see their monthly grain bills eat up a good deal of the so-called milk profits. Then came the demand for another cent per quart for the producers, which was granted, the cent raise being transferred in due course to the purchasers of milk by tacking another cent on to the current 12-cent per quart raise.

At this time, with hay and grain prices absolutely stationary, notwithstanding unsteady shipments due to congestions on the railroads, there appear to be no immediate prospects of feed prices jumping upward right away. As a matter of fact, The Sun was informed today that rail shipments of all grains necessary to conduct the best dairies hereabouts, were coming along a good deal more freely this month than was the case last month.

As an instance of the methods used by large milk producers in and near Lowell, who buy their own feed products by the carload and save goodly sums of money yearly by this method of car-lot purchases and the needed feeds, Arthur W. Colburn of Dracut had a car containing several hundred bags of milk feeds come in this morning in the railroad siding down on Western avenue, and is transferring the lot by trucks to the Dracut farm "grain elevators."

Good Cream Scarce

The demand for best cream has been heavy this fall in Lowell. Local dealers rarely have all they would like to have to supply demands. In some cases large distributors of milks and creams have had to go out into the local market, or depend upon a friendly dealer nearby to "loan" a few cases of the heavy creams in order to keep customers supplied.

Good quality cream is bringing fair prices, but nothing alarming as might be the case where a real shortage is reported. Small "halves" are selling at 29 cents "with the bottle" in some retail stores. Little of the cream sold is "thick Jersey," but is good quality and of good substance.

Some dealers cannot understand why the demand for cream is so heavy at this time of the year.

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36-INCH WASH SATIN—Permanent, high lustre, for dainty underwear and a dozen other uses, in pink, white and orchid. Friday Special..... 59c

40-INCH ALL SILK CREPE DE CHINE—Firmly woven and good weight for dresses, etc., 20 shades to select from. Friday Special.... $1.17

PLAIN AND FANCY TRICOLETTE—Heavy quality, tubular form, a timely Xmas gift suggestion, for scarfs, blouses, etc., all wanted colors. Friday Special... $1.39

56-INCH BOLIVIA COATING—All wool, soft, silky finish, a warm and stylish material for coats, in the season's popular colors. Friday Special $3.85

36-INCH EMBROIDERY LINEN—All pure linen. Friday, in the basement 85c

36-INCH CRETONNES—Basement special for Friday 14c

32-INCH SILK STRIPE SHIRTING—Beautiful, new striped designs, a good wearing quality. Friday Special..... 39c

54-INCH FINE FRENCH SERGE—All pure wool, in navy and black, an exceptionally good quality and a splendid value at the price quoted for Friday..... $1.79

56-INCH ASTRAKAN COATING—Much in vogue for coats, trimmings and scarfs. For Friday only..... $3.39

54-INCH ALL WOOL JERSEY—For dresses, etc., wanted colors. Friday Special.. $1.55

TURKISH TOWELS—18x36 inches, heavy and absorbent. Basement Special 19c

NASHUA WOOL-NAP BLANKETS—60x76 inches. Special in the Basement, Pair..... $1.89

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The cup of coffee rich in color, aroma and flavor.
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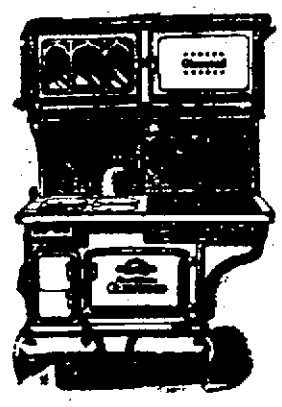

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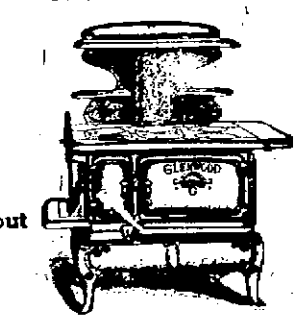

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PROFESSOR CHARGED WITH BIGAMY

The honeymoon of Professor Ralph French, 26, of Mountain View, N. J., was suddenly wrecked when Mrs. Helen Bryant French, 22, of Dover, N. J., charged the young teacher with bigamy and stated that she was his legal wife No. 1. Arrest by the police ended his honeymoon. Professor French has refused to make a statement.

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Ambassador Child at Lausanne, speaking for United States, asks full access to Black sea in peace and war.

Tchitcherin declares allied proposal for regulation of Turkish straits is directed against Russia and will compel her to arm for defense.

Joseph P. Tumulty, after three months' stay with injured daughter in Munich, defends Bavarians and denies they discriminate unduly against foreigners.

British steamer Clyne Rock collides with American liner George Washington, off Dover, Eng. Damage not revealed.

London reports that Gabriele d'Annunzio is seriously ill at Gardone.

Germany will ask allies to approve internal gold loan for stabilization and cash reparations payments.

Clemenceau recalls old times in his visit with Woodrow Wilson and describes their meeting as affectionate.

Representative of American farm bureau federation in speech at Burlington, Vt., says average net income of American farmer will be less than $465 this year.

Mayor of Montreal declares burning of Catholic institutions in Canada is work of fanatics who, he believes, are not Protestants and have used Ku Klux Klan as cloak.

Frieda Hempel, singer, reports that her New York apartment has been robbed of jewels and other articles worth at least $25,000.

James C. Penney, head of 371 stores in 29 states, takes out single life insurance policy of $1,500,000, making his total life insurance $3,000,000.

Dr. Amy Kaukonen, mayor of Fairport, O., tells New Yorkers of her fight against bootleggers.

Generals Pershing and Dawes at Chicago appeal for suppression of radicals, deeper patriotism and more powerful United States army.

Norman Selby, better known as Kid McCoy, files bankruptcy petition at Los Angeles.

Indianapolis mayor announces sanity test for all persons arrested for automobile speeding.

Gov. Russell of Mississippi in federal court denies charges made by woman stenographer in suit for $100,000 damages.

Steamer Heinrich Kayser calls for assistance, reporting adrift in heavy seas on Atlantic.

Massachusetts motor vehicle fees for 1922, up to Nov. 30, placed at $6,685,527. Nearly 100,000 more registered cars than last year.

Twenty-five thousand passengers and 30 trains tied up one hour by failure of air pressure system on interlocking switches outside North station, Boston. One unidentified man slips through a "jackknife" drawbridge after leaving train and drowns in Charles river.

Catarrh Will Go

Help Comes In Two Minutes—Complete Relief in a Few Weeks

Don't go on hawking yourself sick every morning; it's cruel, it's harmful and it's unnecessary.

If after breathing Hyomei, the wonderworker, you are not rid of vile catarrh, you can have your money back.

No stomach dosing—just take the little hard rubber pocket inhaler that comes with each outfit, and pour into it a few drops of Hyomei. Breathe it according to directions. In two minutes it will relieve you of that stuffed up feeling. Use it daily and in a few weeks you should be entirely free from catarrh.

Breathing Hyomei is a very pleasant and certain way to kill catarrh germs.

Get a Hyomei outfit today. It's sold by druggists everywhere with guarantee to quickly and safely end catarrh, croup, coughs, colds, sore throat and bronchitis or money back; it's inexpensive.—Adv.

Has He Found a Cure for Asthma?

Simple Prescription Gives Instant Relief. Makes Breathing Easy

In New England, where Bronchial Asthma, Bronchitis and other diseases of the throat and lungs are so prevalent, remarkably successful results are being reported following the use of a new form of treatment known as Oxidaze, a physician's prescription.

Oxidaze is a harmless but powerful combination of curative essential oils concentrated and compressed into a small tablet. One of these tablets slowly dissolved before going to bed seems to have the effect of relaxing the muscular constriction of the bronchial tubes, opening up the air passages and regulating spasmodic lung action. This enables the patient to breathe easily and naturally while lying down and to get a comfortable night's sleep.

So much interest has been shown that local druggists, including Green's Drug Store, Liggett's, Lowell Pharmacy have secured a small supply and state that they are authorized to refund the money paid for the first package if in any case this new treatment fails to give relief. Oxidaze is pleasant to take, contains no harmful, habit forming drugs and is not expensive. This makes their test an easy matter.—Adv.

POLICEMEN HONOR LIEUTENANT RYAN

Lieut. Bartholomew Ryan of the police force, who was recently transferred from street duty to a desk position was pleasantly surprised last night at roll call when, on behalf of the uniformed members of the force, Patrolman Ed. Flannagan presented him two leather chairs, a rug, a pipe and a few boxes of cigars. In his presentation remarks Patrolman Flannagan told of the high esteem in which the rank and file held Lieut. Ryan. Although pretty much surprised and perhaps a bit confused at the situation confronting him, Lieut. Ryan managed to express his thanks to the "boys."

SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTS OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Worthen Street Sunday school officers, held last night in the church, officers were elected for the organization. The following were chosen: A. K. Johnson, superintendent; George Drew, assistant superintendent; Mrs. A. K. Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Verner Clark, treasurer; Miss Belle Sutherland, librarian; Miss Eugenia Hogan, historian; Mrs. A. K. Johnson, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. Frank Rawnsley, superintendent of cradle roll; Mrs. L. M. McQuester, superintendent of junior and intermediaries; Mrs. Joseph Barber, missionary superintendent; Mrs. Fannie McClellan and George Chase, auditors.

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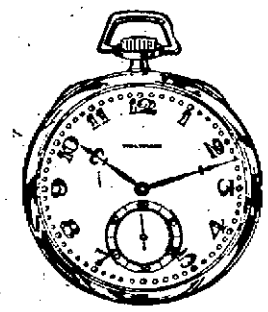

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are here ready for your selection. Why waste your time going elsewhere when you know what you want is here waiting for you—and at prices that save you money? HARRISON'S is known throughout New England for the great VALUES it makes possible for MEN at all times—and MAN if you don't know the HARRISON Co. now is the time to get acquainted.

Silk-Lined, Plaid-Back Overcoats

Convertible Collar Overcoats. Raglan Style — **$19.50**

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Men's $100 Fur Lined COATS — Made of Fine ALL WOOL KERSEY SHELL, Pieced Marmot Lining, Electric Seal Collar **$45**

Mens' $15 Sheep Lined COATS — BEAVERIZED LAMB COLLAR; sizes up to 50..... **$9.50**

ULSTERS — REEFERS — FOR MEN — Made with Muff Pockets—Windshield Wristers, Rubber Interlined, at Positive Savings of 25%.

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BOYS' $12.50 SHEEP LINED COATS **$7.95**

Heavy Moleskin shell, sheared Sheepskin lining; sizes 8 to 18.

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Boys' $8.50 Chinchilla OVERCOATS **$5.95**

Positively an all-wool, good warm, durable Winter Overcoat; made from the better grade of blue, brown and tan chinchilla with plaid lining. Sizes 3 to 10.

$10.00 BOYS' 2-PANT SUITS **$7**

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$1 Boys' Fairmount BLOUSE WAISTS... **55c**

$1.50 Boys' Corduroy "KNICKERS" at.... **89c**

$5 Boys' Shaker Knit SWEATERS **$3.50**

25c Boys' Triple Toe and Heel HOSE, at... **12c**

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166 CENTRAL STREET

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Radiographs

HOME DRUDGERY NO LONGER

Here's another use to which radio manufacturers say a receiving set may be put. It cuts the drudgery out of housework. As an example they show Mrs. Amelia Rader of New York ironing her husband's shirt with that tired feeling gone and, in its place, joy over the entertainment she is supposed to be receiving by wireless.

RADIO XMAS COMING

Dealers and Fans Prepare For Shower of Wireless Gifts This Year

This is going to be a radio Christmas.

For the last six months manufacturers have been preparing for this event and fans have been tuning in on related talks from broadcasting stations throughout the country.

The chief idea behind the feature is commercial. Radio dealers have been stocking up for the Christmas holidays. Manufacturers have been putting out apparatus in greater quantities than ever before. All because they expect a last-minute rush for Christmas gifts in the form of radio sets and parts.

Men who have been following closely the sale of radio material say this winter will show an even greater increase in the number of fans than did last winter. That is because the science has been developed more thoroughly and less trouble or interference is experienced with the new apparatus.

At the same time nearly every radio amateur and novice who has had a receiving set expects a Christmas gift in the form of an additional vacuum tube or what-not that would help increase the efficiency of his reception. And they have prepared for the rush. Even with the addition of various Christmas touches.

Toys also have taken on a radio atmosphere. Kewpies are being designed with radio headsets on their ears. Toy receiving sets are being sold. And there are other forms of radio playthings.

Then, for Christmas eve and Christmas day, the large radio broadcasting stations are preparing special programs. Interest on that day will be centred around the radio receiving set—up in the attic, even, if that is where the fan has to keep it.

SILENT NIGHTS

Radio broadcasting stations are inaugurating the practice of observing one "silent night" each week in various cities. In San Antonio, Tex., for stance, Friday is the night when its local station is silent. This gives the listeners a chance to tune in on more distant stations.

RADIO IN FICTION

Authors are beginning to accept radio as taking a regular part in the doings of people. Soon radio in fiction will become as popular as the automobile and, instead of picking up the telephone or listening at the door, the villain will eavesdrop by wireless.

DRAFT WITHOUT EXEMPTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Representative Johnson, republican, South Dakota, has introduced a bill giving the president authority in war time to draft the unorganized militia without exemption of men from 21 to 30 on account of industrial occupation.

FRIEND OF LINCOLN DEAD

BELLINGHAM, Washn., Dec. 7.—J. G. Stewart, a neighbor and friend of Abraham Lincoln in Springfield, Ills., died at his home in Hamilton, aged 88 years.

Radio Broadcasts

3 p. m.—I. Mid afternoon news broadcast.
II. Musical program.
5 p. m.—Market report—U. S. bureau of agricultural economics. Brighton live stock market fruits and vegetables market, dairy and produce market. Chicago live stock market. (485 metres.)
6.15 p. m.—Boston police reports, Boston police headquarters. Late news flashes. Early sport news.
9.30 p. m.—Evening program: Concert by the Ideal Mandolin club, Mrs. L. G. Shattuck, director. The club is composed of Mrs. L. G. Shattuck, Mr. Harold Colburn, first mandolins; Miss Doris Grant, Mr. Rufus Choate, second mandolins; Mr. Ernest Steeves, third mandolin.
A Moonlight Frolic ..... Odell
Light Brigade Overture ..... Grune
Hippity Hop ..... Odell
Gibson Beauty ..... Nicomede
Collegisms ..... Odell
The Home Town Band ..... Weidt

STATION WBZ, SPRINGFIELD
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story; produce market report.
7.45 p. m.—News from farm and home.
8 p. m.—Concert program as announced by radiophone.

STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY
2 p. m.—Music.
6 p. m.—Produce market and stock market reports and quotations and news bulletins.
7.45 p. m.—Concert program.

STATION KDKA, PITTSBURGH
7 p. m.—News; health talk.
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story.
7.45 p. m.—Summary of the New York stock exchange and other features.
8 p. m.—Concert by the orchestra of Station KDKA.

STATION KYW, CHICAGO
(Central Time)
5.30 p. m.—News; sports and stock market summaries; bedtime story.
8 p. m.—Concert program.
9 p. m.—News, sports and special features, as announced by radiophone.

STATION WJZ, NEWARK
4 p. m.—Closing stock prices; fashion talk.
5.30 p. m.—Closing prices on stocks, bonds, grain, coffee and sugar.
5.15 p. m.—Resume of sporting events.
6 p. m.—Musical program.
7 p. m.—Bedtime story.
8.30 p. m.—Vocal concert.
9.30 p. m.—Musical program by quartet.
10 p. m.—Time signals; program continued.

STATION WNAC, BOSTON
4 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard's Colonial orchestra; selections on the player piano and phonograph.
8.15 p. m.—Musical entertainment by the Amphion club of 75 male voices conducted by Elmer Wilson.

COAL AN OBSTRUCTION

Experts of the United States bureau of mines, testing radio as a means of communication between the pit and the surface, have found that the coal strata were a serious obstruction. Signals were successfully transmitted through 50 feet of coal, however. By using higher wave lengths, the experts believe, they may be able to penetrate even farther.

APPLAUSE BY LETTER

One feature of radio broadcasting to which the actors are slow in becoming accustomed is the applause—or lack of it. It is a queer sensation to do your bit at the microphone only to be answered by a strange silence. The applause, however, does come in—by mail, and from those listeners living near enough, by telephone.

No more expensive than ordinary brands

WHILE your grocer asks you to pay no more for Borden's Evaporated Milk than for other standard kinds, he sometimes pays more himself. The extra care taken to safeguard this brand of milk makes it actually cost more to produce it.

In Borden's Evaporated Milk, you get pure country milk with the cream left in. It is entirely pure, and of high nutritive value. Ask your grocer for Borden's.

THE BORDEN COMPANY
Borden Building New York

Makers also of Borden's Eagle Brand Milk, Borden's Malted Milk and Borden's Confectionery

Borden's
Evaporated Milk

Chinese and Oriental Baskets
For sewing or decorative purposes. Black, blue, rose, brown, trimmed with beads, silk, rings, tassels and Chinese money. Excellent Christmas gifts, 39¢ to $1.29

THE GAGNON COMPANY
HOME OF THE GREATEST VALUES

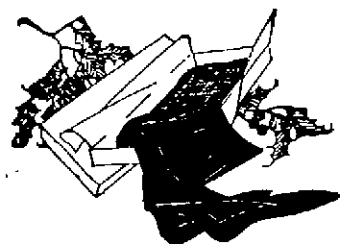
White and Colored Stationery
In fancy gift boxes. Two and three quires. Some boxes have two or three colors in box.
39¢, 49¢, 59¢
Street Floor

IN SHOPPING EARLY YOU HELP VERY MUCH

AN UNUSUAL CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
Women's and Misses' Civet Cat Coats
Only $100
Made of selected skins, 40 inches long. New sleeve effects, with windshields, large shawl collars, heavy linings of fancy silk. All round belts. A truly remarkable fur coat value.

Our Latest Lot Which Arrived Only Yesterday. Selling at Less Than January Prices
Velvet, Canton Crepe, Poiret Twill Dresses
Special $15 Values to $35
Navy, brown, black, made in up-to-the-minute styles. Widely varied lot of models, some plain, some with a little trimming, others elaborately trimmed. Sizes 16 to 46.

A New Lot of **Sample Winter Coats**
FOR WOMEN AND MISSES
At a Saving of 1-3 Off Regular Prices
Handsome modish affairs in all the popular soft pile materials, in navy, sorrento, black, brown. Plain or trimmed with different kinds of furs. Values you'd look for at the clearance period are ready now.
$15.98 to $79.50
Second Floor



Just in Time for Christmas Giving Come
THREE EXTRA FINE VALUES IN HOSIERY
Extra Heavy Ingrain Silk Hose, full fashioned, with reinforced heels and toes, fancy purple striped tops. Black only. Women's sizes. Special..... $2.69
Pure Thread Silk Hose, for women, 12 strand silk, full fashioned, with double feet, silk lisle garter tops. Also ingrain silk hose with purple tops. All sizes $1.95
Women's Silk Hose, pure thread silk, full fashioned, double heels, soles, toes. Silk lisle garter tops. All sizes. Special, $1.65
Street Floor

Three Excellent Specials In Millinery
Colorful New Taffeta Hats, in the chic little shapes that look so smart with fur collared coats. $7.95 values. Special $5
A Choice Selection of Velvet Hats, mostly dark colors, brightened with colored trimmings, both new and novel. $5 values. Special $3.95
Tailored and Dress Hats, of Lyons and panne velvets, mostly black. Youthful and matron styles. $3.95 values. Special..... $1.75
Street Floor

A Real Nice Gift for Santa Claus' Favorites
CHILDREN'S Pongee Silk Rompers and Suits
Made in the daintiest styles, generously trimmed with hand embroidery and smocking. Sizes 1 to 4 yrs. $5.98 to $7.98
Second Floor

The Perfect Gift
A Silk Umbrella
One never can have too many umbrellas and in these days of glorious colors, everyone hopes to get one for Christmas.
Women's and Misses' Colored Silk Umbrellas, red, green, purple, brown, black, stitched or tape edge, with handsome handles, ring or Ritz style, of leather, ivory, amber, wood, tips to match..... $4.50, $5, $5.50 $6.50 to $13.50
Umbrellas, of glorin or fine cotton taffeta, black only, with plain leather or ivory handles, $2 to $5
Children's Colored Umbrellas, of silk or cotton taffeta, black, green, red, navy, with fancy white ivory handles, tips to match, $1 to $4
Men's Umbrellas, of union silk or cotton taffeta, black only, with large walking-stick handles ..... $2 to $6
Street Floor

600 PAIRS MEN'S SAMPLE HOSE
Of pure worsted or silk and wool. Full fashioned and seamless, with or without silk clocking on sides. All the new winter colors. All sizes; $2 value. Special 98c
Street Floor

Be Sure That SLIPPERS Are on Your Christmas List
4000 Pairs of New Christmas Slippers
FOR MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN
All colors and styles, in felt and leather, plain or trimmed. Padded or leather soles, some with rubber heels..... 98c

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO VISIT OUR
New Toy Dept.
Just a short flight down from the main floor, you'll be greeted with the most wonderful collection of playthings. All new, marvelous inventions from Santa Claus' workshop that bring joy to the hearts of all good little boys and girls.

Our Toy Prices Are the Lowest in Lowell
BUILDING BLOCKS, GAMES, ANIMALS, MECHANICAL TOYS, MUSICAL TOPS, TELEPHONES, DOLL FURNITURE
25c to $18
LAUNDRY SETS, PIANOS, SEWING MACHINES, CARTS, DESKS, KITCHEN CABINETS, BANKS, CLOWNS, AUTOMOBILES

NEW
Buy Your Boy or Girl
An Instructive Set of
CHEMECRAFT
A set containing 100 or more instructive but harmless chemical experiments. This would make an edukating Christmas gift.
75c to $2.50

See Our Beautiful Selection of Dolls on the Street Floor
French Dolls, Talking Dolls, Baby Dolls, Dressed Dolls
All Sizes, With Dark or Light Hair
25c to $7.98

NEW
A Gift For Children Artistically Inclined
A new and novel way of making pictures. All the necessary things in a neat box. Hours of fun for little folks, and even the bigger folks will enjoy this new game, too.
50c to $2

FIRE DRIVES OCCUPANTS FROM LODGING HOUSE

Occupants of the lodging house numbered 49 Kirk street and conducted by George Holt were driven out of their rooms by fire early this morning. There was no great necessity for the lodgers leaving the building as the fire was in an ell in the rear, but they feared the fire might reach them and a hasty exit was made as soon as the alarm was given.

The fire, which is claimed to have been the result of the thawing out of frozen pipes last evening, was discovered shortly before 3 o'clock this morning and an alarm was sent in from box 26. Evidently the party who sounded the alarm had his mind on the Kearney square fire box, for he passed two other boxes on his way to it.

When the firemen reached the premises the flames had worked their way from a partition on the street floor to the roof and owing to the nature of the roof, which consisted of wooden shingles covered with slate, the firemen were considerably handicapped in reaching the fire. A portion of the roof was finally ripped off and several lines of hose poured a continuous stream of water on the fire and succeeded in confining it to the ell. The damage, it is said, will be about $1500.

At 7.48 o'clock there was a telephone alarm for a slight blaze in an automobile owned by J. Smith and located at 44 Robbins street.

At 10.58 o'clock a telephone alarm was sent for fire in a shed on the Perkins street dump. The shed was burned to the ground, but the damage was not great.

It takes a train only one second to win the decision over an auto.

Nevery's Fashion Shop

53 CENTRAL STREET
5th floor Central Block
Over Nelsons 5¢ and 10¢ Store — Take elevator to save money

OUR FIRST Mark Down Sale

STARTS TODAY

CLOTH COATS

$27.50 Cloth Coats $19.75
$35.00 Cloth Coats $24.50
Plain or fur trimmed.
$55.00 Stylish Stout Coats $37.50
$70.00 Coats, finest materials $47.50
Some with beaver collars.

TOP COATS

Made from heavy plaid-back materials.
$22.00 Warm Top Coats $15.00
Others at reduced prices.

SUITS

2 $35.00 Suits, hand embroidered $19.75
1 $40.00 Suit, hand tailored $24.50
1 $60.00 Suit, pandora material $37.50
2 $50.00 Suits, stylish stout sizes $29.50
3 $90.00 Suits, stylish stout sizes $47.50
Fur trimmed.

EVENING GOWNS

All Evening Gowns to be closed out at less than cost.
$47.50 Evening Gowns, for $27.50
$60.00 Evening Gowns, for $39.50
$70.00 Evening Gowns, for $49.50

FUR COATS

At reduced prices.
$350.00 Raccoon Coats, for $298.00
$347.00 Hudson Seal Coats, for $297.00
$345.00 Hudson Seal Coats, for $289.00
$247.00 Near Seal Coats, for $198.00
$225.00 Near Seal Coats, for $189.00
$150.00 Civet Cat Coats, for $125.00

Open All Day Thursday During December

We Handle
50,000,000
Toll Calls Every Year.
Over 90%
Are on a Station-to-Station Basis

When 900 out of every 1000 toll calls are made in this way month after month, you need no better proof that a large majority of telephone users get satisfactory service, quicker action and lowest rates by making their toll calls on a station-to-station basis; that is, by asking for a number, or for the listed name of a subscriber, and not for a particular person.

If you make your calls in any of the following ways, you will save time and at least 20 per cent on toll charges:

Bangor 3265-W.

Robinson Machine Co., Springfield, Mass.—Will talk with anyone who answers.

Residence of Joseph Brown, Burlington, Vt.—Will talk with anyone who answers.

Office of John Smith, Pittsfield, Mass.—Will talk with anyone who answers.

A call for "John Smith, Pittsfield, Mass., or anyone" is a person-to-person call because the request is primarily for a particular person and the operator attempts to find him first.

Experience has shown that in nearly every case the person you want will answer at once or, if not, that you can talk satisfactorily with someone else.

NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY

C. J. LEATHERS, Manager.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE

New President Presides for First Time at Directors' Meeting

Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's church, and recently elected president of the Lowell Social Service league, presided for the first time at a regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of that organization in the chamber of commerce headquarters yesterday afternoon. Miss Alice M. Bell, secretary, read an interesting report of the happenings at the state conference of welfare workers, held early this month in Greenfield, Mass., and emphasized the study made by the department of public welfare concerning family budgets. During the month of November, Miss Bell's report showed that fuel had been obtained and delivered to many families where sickness prevailed and that employment had been secured for 21 persons in dire circumstances. Hospital treatment was afforded several of the poor

REV. APPLETON GRANNIS

and needy who would otherwise be unable to secure proper medical treatment or advice. Another feature of the hospital work of the league during the month was the furnishing of transportation of clinics of children and elders incapacitated by illness. The league also co-operated with 12 organizations in this city and six out-of-town organizations in arranging settlements of family troubles.

As the winter advances the work of the Social Service league correspondingly increases and the directors again request the co-operation of the public in meeting the many needs of the organization. The clothing sent in recently has been put to good use and more is needed, especially for children of school age. It is only through the kindness of benevolent individuals and societies that the league is able to endure. At Thanksgiving, the league was called upon to administer to several destitute families and because of the generosity of local benefactors, the work was done satisfactorily.

The following committees were appointed at the conclusion of Miss Bell's report: Finance: Donald Cameron, Allen Parker, Chester Runels, Mrs. Louis Olney, Dudley L. Page and Harry Pollard.

Executive: Mrs. John K. Whittier, Mrs. Joseph Nesmith, W. N. Goodell and Charles H. Hobson.

Auditing: Arthur T. Safford, Mrs. Alma Sturgess and Robert F. Marden. Case committee: Miss Harriet Coburn, Dr. H. E. Davis, Mrs. C. R. Prichard, Miss Helen Tyler, Mrs. Arthur C. McGiffert and Edward J. Cooney.

All women members of the board of directors will serve as an advisory committee.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry Custer Dawson and Mrs. Grace Bachelder Naylor were married yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of the Graniteville M.E. church in Westford by Rev. William E. Anderson. The couple will make their home in North Tewksbury.

Carr—Morrill

The marriage of Mr. Richard B. Carr of this city and Miss Gertrude V. Morrill of North Chelmsford took place Nov. 29 at St. Anthony's rectory, Allston, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Nicholas Murphy. The best man was Mr. John Carr, a brother of the bridegroom, while the bridesmaid was Miss Bertha E. Morrill of Dorchester. The couple will make their home in Allston.

TWO IJNURED BY AUTOMOBILES

Mrs. Hiram Merrill of 2 Osgood street was slightly injured yesterday afternoon when she was struck by an automobile in Central street. The machine was being operated by Harry G. Lawson of 1501 Gorham street, who took the woman to her home.

Francis Duprez, aged 5 years, was struck by an automobile at the junction of School street and Broadway yesterday afternoon and sustained slight injuries, which were treated at the Lowell Corporation hospital. The driver of the machine was John J. Devlin of 307 Thorndike street.

"I Cured My Rupture"

Thus said Capt. Collings After Doctors Said "Operation the Only Hope."

His Discovery and Book Sent Free

Capt. Collings sustained a bad double rupture that soon kept him bedridden for years. He tried doctor after doctor and truss after truss. No results! Finally, he was assured that he must submit to operation. He did not. He cured himself instead.

A one week's free trial of Capt. Collings' great discovery is mailed free to all people who are ruptured. If you will send the coupon below you can test it on your own case. This costs you nothing and you are sure to be benefited. So mail the coupon now.

FREE TREATMENT COUPON
Capt. W. A. Collings, Inc.
Box 249-H, Watertown, N. Y.:
Please send me One Week's Test Treatment for Rupture. This test to be FREE. I will commence using it at once.
Name .....
Address .....
Town ..... State .....

CASE IS SETTLED OUT OF COURT

A case which has caused more or less interest in local real estate circles, and which was scheduled for trial in the superior court today was settled a few minutes before it was due to be called. It was an action of contract in which Edward Smith, a local real estate dealer, sought to recover, from the present owners of the Associate building, a commission, amounting to approximately $5000, for the alleged transfer of the property to Lawrence interests some few months ago. Ex-Mayor John P. Kane of Lawrence represented the defendant and Atty. Patrick J. Reynolds represented Mr. Smith. The amount of the settlement was not made public.

IF YOU NEED A MEDICINE YOU SHOULD HAVE THE BEST

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfil the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and verified testimony of thousands who have used the preparation the success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact, so many people claim, that it fulfills almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder ailments, corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-root by Parcels Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

WAGE INCREASES FOR SHOP MEN

30,000 Maintenance of Way Men of Penn. R. R. Granted Raise Retroactive to Nov. 1

Increases Total $1,800,000—Range From One Cent an Hour to Five Cents

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Wage increases totalling approximately $1,800,000 annually for 30,000 maintenance of way employes of the Pennsylvania railroad system have been granted, John G. Rogers, vice president of the Northwestern Region of the Pennsylvania announced today.

The increases ranged from one cent an hour for carpenters, painters and masons' helpers, to five cents an hour for assistant bridge and building foremen and will be retroactive to November 1.

LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Sentences Revoked and Men Are Sent to House of Correction

Three suspended sentences were revoked and a like number of men ordered to the house of correction during this morning's session of the district court with Judge Pickman on the bench. Patrick Bordeleau pleaded not guilty to drunkenness, was found guilty and a former sentence of four months to the house of correction was revoked.

George H. Cummings, brought in for non-support, and who was under a suspended sentence of three months had the sentence revoked. Just before court adjourned Cummings said he thought he would be able to fulfill the obligations previously imposed upon him by the court and the case was continued until tomorrow to give him the opportunity of so doing.

Philip Jalbert was sentenced to the house of correction for non-support. He was brought in on a capias and found guilty of drunkenness. He was under a suspended sentence of three months.

Daniel O'Connor of Chelmsford was fined $15 after pleading guilty to the operation of a motor vehicle without a license. The offence was committed on Andover street on October 9.

George Lafamme appeared charged with threatening. His case was continued to December 18 at the request of his counsel.

Peter Abusciwicz, charged with illegal sale and illegal keeping, had his case continued to December 14.

BLOOD SO THIN LIPS WERE PURPLE

Mrs. Peabody Says That Tonic Treatment Restored Her Health and Strength

Stomach trouble is often caused by thin blood but in such cases the cause is not always recognized. In cases of indigestion when there is pallor of the cheeks and lips it is well to tone up the blood before giving way to fear of organic stomach trouble.

"My blood was very thin," says Mrs. Dora A. Peabody, of No. 1234 Elm street, Manchester, N. H., "and my lips were purple. My stomach was upset and everything I ate distressed me. I had a heavy feeling, like lead in my stomach. My heart would beat so fast that I got afraid. I had no appetite, lost strength and was so nervous that it seemed I would fly to pieces. Sleep did not rest me and I was tired all the time.

"Nothing helped me until I read about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and gave them a trial. As I used these pills my blood got richer and I had a better color, I gained strength right along and my whole system seemed to build up. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a wonderful remedy and I do not think I would be alive but for them. This statement is absolutely true and I hope it will help others."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are useful in anemia or thin blood, nervousness and its more aggravated forms of sick headache, neuralgia, sciatica and neuritis. They give new strength and vigor and if you need this tonic you should get a 60-cent box from your nearest druggist today and begin the treatment.

Write to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the helpful booklet, "Building Up the Blood." It costs you nothing.—Adv.

Lowell's Largest Shoe Store 25 Central St

SLATER'S THE HOME OF GOOD SHOES Established 1899

25 Central Street Near Merrimack St

Mighty Manufacturers' Sale

The Shoe Opportunity of a Lifetime

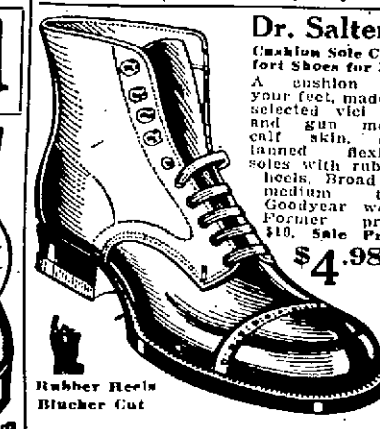
SALE STARTS TOMORROW SHOES Down to Bed-Rock Prices

Come early and supply your shoe needs for the coming winter at the lowest prices ever heard of for standard trade mark shoes of known quality and reputation.

HOLIDAY SPECIAL
Ladies' $2 Ribbon Trimmed COMFORT SLIPPERS ALL COLORS CUSHION SOLE & HEELS $1

LADIES' STYLISH
Dr. Whitcomb's CUSHION SOLE Comfort Shoes and Oxfords

This beautiful Dressy comfort shoe, made over Dr. Whitcomb's famous prescription last of soft, pliable black kidskin leather; flexible sewed soles, rubber heels; they fit the foot all over without binding or pinching. Choice of high, low or medium heels.
SALE PRICE $5.95



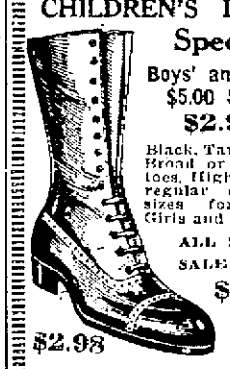
Dr. Salter's Cushion Sole Comfort Shoes for Men
A cushion for your feet, made of selected viel kid and gun metal calf skin, oak tanned flexible soles with rubber heels. Broad or medium toe. Goodyear welt. Former price $10. Sale Price $4.98
Rubber Heels Blucher Cut

Arch Support Special
$10.00 Scientific Arch-Supporting Shoes for Men
Uppers of soft black calf, full double soles, riveted steel shank. Arch Support built in. They make walking or standing a pleasure.
$5

Goodyear Welt

SALE U. S. ARMY MUNSON LAST SHOES
Finest selected leather, heavy soles, broad last, closed tongue.
SALE PRICE $3.45

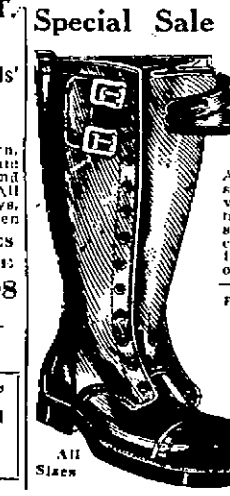
CHILDREN'S DEPT.
Special
Boys' and Girls' $5.00 Shoes
$2.98
Black, Tan Brown, Broad or Medium toes, High cut and regular cut. All sizes for Boys, Girls and Children
ALL STYLES SALE PRICE $2.98



$2.98

Children's Felt "Pussy" Slippers with cuffs. All colors. Sale Price $1

Special Sale



All Sizes

Waterproof High Cut Shoes Men's $10 Blizzard King Storm and Sporting Boots
$5.00

A great shoe for sportsmen, surveyors, railroad men, etc. Triple stitched uppers, closed bellows tongue, double overweight sole.

Boys' and Girls' $7.50 Storm High Cut Boots
$3.98

Dark chrome tan leather, double soles, bellows tongue, 2 straps and buckles.

Dr. Kimball's IDEAL CUSHION SOLE COMFORT SHOES FOR WOMEN
$5.00 VALUE
$3.98
Soft Black Kid Leather, Flexible Leather Soles, Rubber Heels. Try a pair. Like a glove on the foot.
$3.98

BIG SPECIAL—Men's Moosehide, waterproof shoes, 3 full soles, middle sole of rawhide, $10 value $4.98

GENUINE GOODYEAR WELT
Police, Fire and Postman Special Service Shoes
Every Pair Warranted Six Months. $10 Value $5.95
The most durable shoe for outdoor men who want comfort and good looks. Leather-lined throughout. Two full soles of selected oak leather. Black gun metal calf uppers. Broad toe.
Sale Price $5.95

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S
Bargain Special
Three styles, broad or medium toes, blucher or lace style, $6 and $7 value. Sale price, tan or black
$3.45

Sale Price $3.45

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FOREIGN BUYING COMBINE

Dry goods merchants everywhere are discussing the interesting announcement made Wednesday in Boston that three large department stores and several New York stores where merchandise is sold at retail on large scales, have combined to form a new foreign buying organization with an annual purchasing power of approximately $3,000,000. It is understood that the new organization has been made for the double purpose of effecting economies in foreign purchases and to obtain first-hand information of style tendencies and the proper and prompt adaption of them to the needs of the women of America.

It is planned to open principal offices in Paris, London and Berlin, with branch offices in Brussels, Frankfort, Vienna and as many other points as will be required to cover properly the scouting, purchasing and forwarding of goods from the various foreign trade centres to the member stores of the organization.

The idea appears to be brand new in some respects, for it has not always been the custom for active competitors in great business to "amalgamate" when out buying merchandise for different organizations that conduct competitive stores.

The result of this endeavor to increase foreign buying power and also obtain goods at possibly a good deal less money considering the plans under way for buying in large lots and securing special shipping rates of goods to America, will be watched with interest by all who patronize American marts of trade and who may profit considerably by this new arrangement of foreign buying.

The question arises as to whether such organizations can purchase manufactured products cheaper than in this country, in spite of the high tariff duties. The experiment will be watched with keen interest.

HOT FIGHT IN HAVERHILL

Occasionally, it does a city a great deal of good to have a hot political fight on a real live or all-absorbing issue. Here is the city of Haverhill, for example, a municipality very much like Lowell. The city election was held there on Tuesday and in the mayoralty contest there was such an interest aroused that invalids were taken from their beds to vote.

It all arose from the declaration of certain shoeworkers' unions in favor of the re-election of Mayor Flanders, who is a pronounced socialist. Flanders was opposed by Dr. William D. McFee, who had the endorsement of the Citizens' Committee, which had the backing of the local shoe manufacturers. This was one of the rare cases in which labor unions came out openly in favor of a particular candidate. The declaration of the unions in favor of Flanders was a challenge to the anti-socialistic elements of the community and most of the latter joined in sobring a signal victory for McFee. The doctor won by a majority of 2,341 over Mayor Flanders, and the total vote of 15,967 was but 34 short of the total registration of 16,001.

Seldom, if ever in this commonwealth, has any election shown such a close approach to polling every registered vote. There is today great rejoicing among the friends of the successful candidate, although his personality was not the thing that stirred the citizens to go to the polls in practically their full strength. It was the fear of having the city turned over to a socialistic regime with Mayor Flanders as the head. The labor unions, it seems, made a mistake by espousing the cause of Flanders and appealing to labor to stand for his election. Still they were entirely within their rights and they found out just what their political strength is in the city of Haverhill.

THE BALUCHITHERIUM

And now the baluchitherium is to be resurrected in skeleton form. It resembles a giant pig said to have existed in Mongolia 2,000,000 years ago. The skull of this animal is en route to San Francisco. When excavating commissions go to the Orient, they must bring back something even if it be nothing more sacred than the jaw blade of an ass. But in the present instance we are assured that there is no faking and no deception. The curator of vertebral palaentology at New York says parts of the skeleton of this extinct animal have been found in India, but could not be classified without the skull. Now that the skull has been found, the baluchitherium or animal of Baluchistan can be properly classed. It seems to be a species of rhinoceros with feet like an elephant. It may be allied to the megatherium, an extinct genus of animals found chiefly in South America. The best known species was of gigantic size, exceeding in bulkiness any known species except the elephant. The feet of the megatherium seemed to have a large surface or section on the ground somewhat like the hind feet of a rabbit; but in this it differs from the baluchitherium now unearthed in Mongolia.

IMPROVING THE SERVICE

We note the numerous improvements recently made in local equipment of the Eastern Street Railway division for carrying on public transportation of patrons in and outside the city. The renewed and enlarged equipment installed at the car houses for battling with snow storms and the like, indicates better conditions for the street railway lines hereabouts.

Considerable new track work, covering needed repairs and new irons as well as better roadbeds, has been done this season, thanks to an energetic management convinced, apparently, that the work must be done and might as well be done now as next year. All of the good work performed this season has been highly essential to a successful continuation and betterment of the railway service, and the patrons of the road will, of course, reap some of the benefits, or ought to. It is presumed the expense of recent repairs will be charged against the Lowell district and, therefore, help to further postpone the time when the nickel fare will be adopted.

THE ACTUAL ORDEAL

Daily you pass hundreds of strange faces. Behind those facial masks, thinking of some sort is going on constantly. What would you give to be able to read their thoughts? Would you want your own read?

Sometimes, in a flash, you learn what is stewing inside one individual head. As, for instance, this classified ad in the "agony column" of the London Times: "A mother of daughters thanks every mother who gave or lent a son to England, 1914 to 1918."

Apparently she is unhappy because she has not had a son to give. It is a spartan-like spirit; and if she had several boys, she would not give them to be sacrificed in war any more readily than other mothers.

Many poor men say that if they had as much money as Rockefeller, they would deal it out with a lavish hand. Perhaps they would and possibly they would not. They do not know what they would do under such conditions. It is only under the test that we learn our actual qualities whether base or magnanimous.

COLBY HEROES

Great sympathy is expressed for the three Colby students who gave their lives to save three score of fraternity brothers in a fire which destroyed a section of the old North college at Waterville, Me., on Monday. All four were of the type known as working students. They were paying their way through college, by doing such work as would enable them to earn their expenses. Two of them had nearly finished their college course and had been planning what they should do after graduating. It was a sad occurrence and another startling commentary upon the uncertainties of life.

THE HANGMAN

A night watchman in Trenton, N. J., is soliciting jobs as an executioner at a cut-rate price. His wife, interviewed about his ambition, says he is offering to send the death current through the electric chair and its occupant, as low as $175 a job.

"If I don't do it, somebody else will," he says.

There are some jobs that, if handled properly, cannot pay too much money. A million a year would be cheap for a man willing to be experimented on for the benefit of medical science.

And there are other jobs that should pay so little that no one would take them. An executioner, for instance. Still it might be impossible. Plenty of men will kill for $5 a head.

HEATING THE HOME

With coal short, wood is coming back as an important fuel. With the demand developed, however, the price in most communities instantly rises to the coal level.

This will help you in buying: What counts is actual heat—thermal units. A pound of dry hard wood gives 7000 to 9000 heat units, a pound of coal 12,000 to 15,000. To know how much heat you're really getting, you'll have to figure out on the basis of weight and fuel consumed.

SUE BILL DEFEATED

It seems rather strange that the fate of the "Sue bill," one of the referenda should not have been known sooner. The bill was vigorously opposed by labor organizations and its adoption was indicated by the early returns; but now it appears that it was carried by a majority of less than a thousand, the figures being: Yes, 300,260; No, 301,205; majority against, 945.

BURNING CATHOLIC BUILDINGS

It is a rather serious situation that has arisen in Canada in which it appears that no less than five destructive fires of incendiary origin have occurred in Catholic institutions in the Dominion within the last few weeks. In one of these fires at Winnipeg on Nov. 25, ten students lost their lives. The dental school of the University of Montreal was damaged twice last month and Juvenant college was practically destroyed in a blaze that devastated the village of Tarrebonne on Dec. 1.

It is difficult to conceive the degree of fiendish hatred or malice that would prompt actions of this kind, resulting in the destruction of institutions that required generations of effort by whole communities to build up. It is intimated that such of these fires as have been plainly of incendiary origin have been the work of the Ku Klux Klan. The charge is denied, however, by Klan officials. It may be the work of a crazy fanatic.

Professor Hutchinson of Converse college suggests that Thanksgiving and Armistice day should be merged into a single holiday. It would not be a bad idea as both fall within the same month and are usually not more than two weeks apart. The observance of each might help the other. If the memories of both were combined in a single observance, then the new holiday would be much better than is either at the present time.

Mayor Cousens of Detroit made a good chief executive, but he may make but a second rate senator.

SEEN AND HEARD

Star traveling 2,500,000 miles an hour has been discovered. It is almost as fast as Christmas is coming.

Miss Mina Horne is a promising grand opera singer and not a trombonist as you would expect.

A new movie hero not only acts as if he thought he was a French count but really is a French count.

Tris Speaker of the Cleveland ball team caught a calf and tied it in 21 seconds. It is not known what position the calf will play.

Horatio N. Douglas of Bath, Me., decided that his grass needed the lawn mower, and so early one morning he did his July stunt in December, much to the surprise of his neighbors.

A California orange orchard has a heating plant with pipes radiating in every direction. In case of a frost while the fruit is on the trees, the whole orchard is heated.

In Spain a woman can go nowhere unaccompanied by her servant. If she goes out to tea in full daylight she must wait for the servant to fetch her home. If she goes to town to visit a dentist, she must never move without her servant and never go near any kind of amusement.

The Poor Heathen

Mrs. Smith—John, whatever made you put that half dollar in the plate? Mr. Smith—O, that was all right, my dear. The collection was for the heathen, and you don't think those fellows are going to tell the difference between that and a good one, do you?

His Loud Voice

"What good did it do you to empty your shotgun at that aviator? You couldn't possibly hit him?" "Well," replied the irate farmer, "I'm gettin' tired of them fellers flyin' low over my property. He couldn't hear me cuss. What other way did I have to express my sentiments?"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Gompers's Favorite

Samuel Gompers' favorite labor story is of Joe Gillingovitch. Joe was busily engaged smoking and watching a large building operation when the boss came up to him and said, "Want a job?" Leisurely removing his pipe, Joe said: "I can only work in the mornings." "Why can't you work afternoons?" suspiciously demanded the boss. "In the afternoons," Joe unblushingly explained, "I have to carry a banner in the unemployed parade."

Figures Misleading

The visitor was inspecting the golf course. "Beautiful links you have here," he said to the secretary, "considering they have been in use so long." "So long!" exclaimed the secretary, surprised. "Why, they've only been open a couple of years." It was the visitor's turn to be surprised. "A couple of years! Why, I understood those links were at least 37 years old." "Oh, no; not at all! Who ever told you that?" "Well, no one told me. But I heard one of your members say this morning that he had been round in '85."

Legal Verbiage

A lawyer thus illustrates the language of his craft: "If a man were to give another an orange, he would simply say, 'Have an orange.' But when the transaction is entrusted to a lawyer to be put in writing, he adopts this form: 'I hereby give and convey to you, all and singular, my estate and interest, rights, title, claim and advantages of and in said orange, together with all its rind, juice, pulp, pips, and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, cut, suck, and otherwise eat the same or give the same away, with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp or pips, anything hereinbefore and hereinafter or in any other deed or deeds, instrument or instruments of whatever nature or kind whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.' And then another lawyer comes and takes it away from you."

"Nostalgia"

I long to go home, where the alders are turning,
And sharp is the tang of the frost in the air.
The grey goose that flew to the north is returning,
And the crafty old fox hunts far from the lair.
The hues of the autumn are changing and shading,
To dun in the hollows and blue on the height,
And the far spreading forest, unchanged and unfading,
Bulks black to the stars in the glittering night.

I dream of the trail over hillock and hollow,
The brown breasted mountains, the canons obscure,
The flashing bright river the breezes that follow,
The breath of the wilderness, fragrant and pure.

Tonight, when the moon rises solemn and gleaming,
Unseen, 'til the ragged black sky like she clears,
I'll set my face northward, and dreaming, still dreaming,
Fare forth to that happiness, lost in the years.
May a great wind be sighing, the river replying
With thunderous voice from the cataract's foam,
And may the grey clouds o'er the pinnacles flying,
With the first swirl of snow flakes, welcome me home!

—GEORGE S. O'NEIL in "Contemporary Verse" for October.

LADIES' AUXILIARY OF THE A. O. H.

At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A.O.H. Tuesday night, the following officers were elected: President, Catherine Gaffney; vice president, Mrs. Annie Dwyer; financial secretary, Mrs. Catherine Goggin; recording secretary, Mrs. William Devereaux; treasurer, Mrs. Maria O'Connell; sentinel, Mrs. Mary Balfrey; mistress-at-arms, Jennie Flanagan; physician, Dr. Loughran; spiritual director, Rev. D. J. Kelcher, Ph. D.; sick committee, Catherine Roarke, Elizabeth Ouligham, Bridget Donahue; finance committee, Nora Sheridan, Mary McGowan, Bridget Leonard; standing committee, Margaret Barry, Mary Lee, Annie O'Grady, Annie Quinn, Margaret Parker; employment committee, Annie Connolly, Mary Quinn, Maria Moran; entertainment and literary committee, Mrs. Catherine Kinney, Maria Markham, Mary Shea, Jessie Higgins and Marguerite Grady.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

In electing George (Pete) Sheehan to the leadership of the high school football team for the season of 1923, the members of the squad made what many consider the best possible selection. It will be recalled that Sheehan was severely injured in the game with Concord, N. H., high early in the season and was forced to abandon the sport for the remainder of the year. Because of his spectacular playing, his willingness to represent the school and his unfortunate injury, the athletic authorities this year awarded him the coveted "L" and there are few who will say that he did not deserve it. He has played a halfback position on the squad for the past three years and was the mainstay of the team up to the time of his enforced layoff. Sheehan is also captain of this year's track team and shines in track and field events as he did on the gridiron. Opinion is practically unanimous that with Sheehan's co-operation and leadership, Coach Liston and the Lowell high team will be heard from in a winning light in 1923.

Lowell commuters to Boston who are accustomed to returning to the home fires on the 6 o'clock afternoon train were delayed more than an hour Tuesday evening, I am told, when the big "35" engine became temporarily disabled near East Billerica. As a result, the information department at the local B. & M. depot was kept busy answering calls from anxious parents as to the delay in their sons' and daughters' arrival for supper. If it were not for the proximity to the big Billerica carshops at the time of the breakdown, the 6 o'clock would probably have reached Lowell at a much later hour.

The annual minstrel show of Lowell council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, will this year be held in the Memorial Auditorium and those in charge are now busy making arrangements for the big affair. Since time immemorial the Knights have borne, with a fine sense of propriety, a splendid reputation for things altruistic, and it is in this sense and with a becoming fitness for the doing of that which is praiseworthy, that the minstrel show for the K. of C. guild is to be held. It is obvious to the most passive member that if the guild, under the energetic supervision of Rev. James F. Lynch, is to function with any degree of success this coming year, that the net proceeds of the show must necessarily reach goodly proportions. It has been agreed to hold the show in the Auditorium, a place splendidly adapted and capacious enough to suit the most enthusiastic devotee of large crowds, and the worthiness of the cause, will no doubt prompt the public to respond to the appeal by being present and thus assisting the project financially.

When Rev. Francis L. Keenan was transferred from St. Patrick's church, this city, to St. John's seminary, Brighton, older members of the C.Y.M.L. felt that, with his departure, the well known Lyceum would fade into oblivion. Fr. Keenan had been spiritual director of the C.Y.M.L. since his coming to Lowell and had placed it on a high standard socially and athletically. And then came Rev. Thos. J. McDonough to direct the club's destinies. Since assuming his official capacity, Fr. McDonough has overwhelmingly discouraged pessimism among the members and has proved a most worthy successor to Fr. Keenan. The new director is vitally interested in athletics and is doing everything possible to have the C.Y.M.L. represented on the basketball court with a fast amateur team. In this he has the co-operation of every member of the lyceum, all of whom are now working hard, not only for the organization they represent, but for Fr. McDonough, that he may be as proud of their achievements as they are of him.

There are law and dental schools, medical, surgical and osteopath colleges, technical schools, schools of manual arts, electrical schools and automobile schools and now comes the latest announcement of the opening in January of the National College of Baseball. The new school was organized by such notables of the national pastime as Frank Chance, old Chicago Cub first baseman and probably the premier initial sacker of all time; Sam Crawford, star Detroit batsman of yesteryear, and several others equally as prominent on the diamond in the days of old. The idea of the new school is to develop potential stars and place them in the leagues to follow up their profession in the best possible manner. How many candidates will Lowell contribute?

ANNUAL FAIR AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's M. E. church conducted its annual fair in the church vestry last evening and the affair was a big success. The decorations were beautiful, the evening's program was excellent and the various booths and tables where good things were on sale, did a thriving business.

Between the hours of 5.30 and 8 an appetizing supper was served, over 200 participating in the festivities. The meal was given under the direction of the Men's club with the following in charge: Dr. E. A. Kent, general manager; Elmore Dean, chief; Ernest Mountain, assistant chef; Abel R. Campbell, chief waiter and Lawrence R. Jordan, treasurer. In the evening concert numbers were given by an orchestra.

The tables and those in charge were as follows:

Candy table: E.A.D. club; food table, the classes of Miss Cairns and Mrs. Charles Drew; domestic table, Perry Bible class; gift shop, B.P.O.M. club; mystery table, Miss Edith Atwood and Mrs. Ada Senior; fancy table, T.M.T.M. club.

LEATHER WORKERS' UNION

The principal speakers at the recent smoker given for the members of the Leather Workers' union were International Organizer John Shea and F. A. Warnock, former president of the Trades and Labor council. The evening's program was presided over by President Muldoon and those who took part in the entertainment were J. Longley, Paul Cooper, Edward Ryan, T. Buckley, Peter Golden, James Kirkpatrick, Charles Nichols and Fred Adams. Cigars were passed around and luncheon served.

INVENTORY OF ESTATE

An inventory of the estate of Jennie M. Richardson, of this city, has been filed at the probate court in East Cambridge. The estate consists of $6000 in real estate and $5317 in personal estate.

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BIG MEETING OF STREET RAILWAY MEN

Winter traffic problems were discussed last night at an interesting meeting of the local street railway "snow-fighters" who handle the big plows and keep the transportation service open during the winter months. Manager Maurice E. McCormick came to the meeting, which was held in the chamber of commerce rooms with Supt. Charles E. Whelan in charge. Managers of various departments of the local division were also present with the men who handle the plows and look after the "storm equipment."

MAURICE E. McCORMICK
Division Manager

Mr. McCormick explained the objects of the meeting and told of the value of co-operation between the different branches of the service and upon increased efficiency in handling the winter snow-fighting apparatus. Mr. Whelan followed with a short talk along the methods to be used in the coming campaigns and described the new equipment now ready for the snow battles.

Suggestions and ideas from some of the "old-timers" present were called for, and among those who responded was Hartley Myers, who drove the first electric plow in Lowell, also Herbert Ross, another old-time snow-fighter. Thomas Sayers, day foreman at the car barn; Matthew Gill, night foreman, and George Emsley, claim agent, also spoke. The men were allowed to express their opinions freely as to the equipment of the railway, and recommendations were jotted down by the "supers" to be looked over later on. Nearly 75 men of the railway service attended the meeting.

The street railway officials expressed thanks to George F. Wells, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce, for the courtesy extended by the granting free use of the rooms to the railwaymen.

Tom Sims Says

Clemenceau eats so many eggs chickens will be glad when he goes home.

Winter wouldn't be so bad if it weren't for the cold weather.

Radio amateurs are beating all records, including phonograph records.

European cabinets resign before we hear about them having the job.

Our treasury says gold coins make fine gifts. They are high, though.

It is estimated very few of last New Year's resolutions are unbroken.

A man has lived in Philadelphia 51 years but we can't tell you why.

More girls are taking up basketball. It is said to be excellent training for bargain counter rushes.

Music note: After hearing a song hit too often we wish it had missed.

Mexico's president claims he was not killed in the recent riots, but you can't believe those Mexicans.

Our idea of a good time would be to get a dog and name him Tariff and tie a can to his tail.

The early bird has to sit around and wait for the worm to get up.

One advantage in wearing a derby is nobody wants to steal it.

The best place to make money is always some other place.

Two can live as cheaply as one until the bills start coming in.

One of our big ships landed with a list the other day but the list was not a wine list.

A woman in Boston went crazy when her new hat arrived. It is usually the husband who does this.

Yale has a rapid 10-minute mentality test for students. Edison will think it nine minutes too long.

Man in Kenmore, O., was fined for getting hit by an auto. He has promised not to do it again.

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But to the ground she has descended,
Her former glamour now is ended;
Our courtly manners have departed,
Since all this Feminism started."

"Oh, piffle," laughed the modern woman,
"We always were extremely human,
And chivalry was mostly bluff
And insincere and tiresome stuff.
You worshiped us, or so you cried,
But at the same time you denied
Our simplest rights, our dearest wishes,
'Stay home,' you said, 'and wash the dishes.'

"Life on a pedestal was boring,
In spite of all your words adoring,
And though this truth may seem to jar,
You like us better as we are!
Not 'Angels' whom you used to praise,
But pals and comrades through your days.
And that, dear sir, you must agree,
Is worth much more than Chivalry!"

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Steamer Goes to Aid German Vessel

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Radio messages picked up here today indicated that the British steamer Tyrrhenia, bound from New York for Genoa, was proceeding to the assistance of the German steamer Heinrich Kayser, reported in need of assistance last night 500 miles east of Cape May. The Tyrrhenia was 275 miles from the distressed vessel at 9.20 o'clock last night. The Kayser is bound from Savannah and Norfolk for Bremen and Hamburg. The Tyrrhenia sent word by wireless today to the coast guard cutter Acushnet, which also was proceeding to the aid of the Heinrich Kayser, that the Tyrrhenia had not heard from the Kayser since 8 o'clock last night. It was added that the Tyrrhenia was still some distance from the position given by the German steamer.

Steamer George Washington Damaged

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—The steamer George Washington was damaged by her collision with the British steamer Clyne Rock near Goodwinsands in the Strait of Dover, last night, but was able to proceed on her journey, according to advices from Deal, today. The extent of the damage to the George Washington, which was bound from Plymouth for Bremen, is unknown. The Clyne Rock was assisted into Dover with her stem badly cracked.

Boy Armed With Air Rifle Started Fire

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—A little boy armed with an air rifle started something in the South Boston district yesterday. The something was a fire. The youngster conceived the idea of putting a match in the gun barrel. When he pulled the trigger, the match sailed through an open window of a dwelling, grazed the ceiling, ignited and when it fell, set fire to the mattress on a bed. The fire apparatus was called and the loss was placed at $25.

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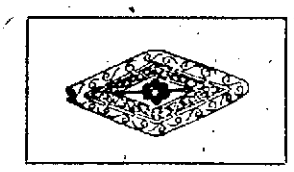

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Charlie Chaplin Ties Prince of Wales in Engagement Rumors

PAULINE STARKE, SHE'S ONE OF THE SCREEN'S MOST PROMISING ACTRESSES. HERE'S HOW SHE APPEARS IN "PASSIONS OF THE SEA," A NEW GOLDWYN PICTURE

By JAMES W. DEAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Well, well! So they say Charlie Chaplin and Pola Negri are betrothed!

Charlie now has been reported engaged as often as the Prince of Wales—and to as many different girls.

The rumor of Charlie's engagement to Negri is the only one in which this writer has taken any stock.

Since the divorce of Chaplin and Mildred Harris the comedian has been reported engaged to at least six girls. In almost every case the girl's name thus was given a prominence that it would not have otherwise enjoyed. Linking of their names with one so renowned as Chaplin's was fat stuff for the press agents.

Chaplin is a gallant man. His popularity was not hurt by these announcements and although he may have resented the intrusion of gosip-mongers into his private affairs, he was too chivalrous to deny openly the reported engagements to the various young ladies.

With Pola Negri the case is utterly different. She is famed on two continents. Her star is already hung in the cinema heavens. It will shine brightly enough for her without the reflected lustre of Chaplin's name.

Chaplin holds her in great esteem. When he returned from Europe a year ago after he had met Negri for the first time I asked him what he thought of her. His face brightened at the mention of her name and without a moment's hesitation he answered.

"I think Pola Negri has the most vivid, striking personality of any woman I met in all of Europe."

Some people are making much of the fact that when Negri met Chaplin upon her arrival in Hollywood she extended both hands to him. The last time Pomet Harold Lloyd I grabbed him by both hands and I haven't heard a bit of gossip about it as yet.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHARITY GUILD SALE OPENS

The annual Christmas sale in aid of St. Michael's Charity Guild opened at 1.30 this afternoon in the Guild hall in Sixth street and will continue tonight, Friday and Saturday. The hours for the sale during the three days will be from 1.30 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7 to 9.30 o'clock in the evening. The Guild hall, opposite the church in Sixth street, has been gaily decorated for the occasion by the ladies of the guild and presents a very attractive setting for the affair. The color scheme is red and white with an intermixture of Christmas holly. The various tables have been tastily arranged and enclosed in a series of decorated arches, the groundwork of which is of red crepe paper fantastically fringed. The electrical fixtures are hidden from view with imitation snow drapings and laurel wreaths and sparkle down upon a myriad collection of beautiful and expensive wares and foodstuffs, the majority of which will make appropriate Christmas gifts. Those who anticipate shopping early this year can best carry that idea into execution by visiting the Guild hall on one or all of the three "sale" days and there find plenty of real valuables which Santa Claus might neglect to include in his 1922 repertoire. The affair is being conducted by the members of the Charity Guild under the supervision of the spiritual director, Rev. James F. Lynch, and the entire proceeds will be used for charitable purposes.

The committees in charge are as follows:

Needlework table—Mrs. William E. McHugh, chairman; will have everything possible in the line of needlework.

The Novelty table, with Mrs. George Keefe, chairman, will have men's and women's ties, scarfs, jute bags and all kinds of novelty wear.

The plain goods table, with Mrs. Austin Kennedy, chairman, will have aprons, shirts and household goods.

The doll table, Mrs. Frank T. Morrissey, chairman, will have displayed plain, fancy and ornamental dolls.

The candy table, Miss Rose Rourke, chairman, will have all manner of candy.

The food table will be in charge of Mrs. Gertrude Boyle.

The following committees are in charge of the tables.

Fancy table—Mrs. William E. McHugh, chairman; Miss Mary Gallagher, Miss Margaret Lynch, Miss Grace Thomas, Miss Belle Rourke and Miss Sarah Smith.

Novelty table—Mrs. George Keefe, chairman; Mrs. Everett Gaffney, Mrs. McLaughlin and Mrs. Miller.

Doll table—Mrs. Frank T. Morrissey, chairman; Miss Cecelia Connors, Miss Helen Holden, Miss Helen Carty and Miss Agnes Gray.

Plain table—Mrs. Austin Kennedy, chairman; Mrs. Archibald, Miss Katherine Martin and Miss Della Carty.

Candy table—Miss Rose Rourke, chairman; Miss Oberline Greenwood, Miss Margaret Griffin, Miss Margaret Martin, Mrs. Daniel Sullivan and Mrs. Arthur Fralick.

Food table—Mrs. Gertrude Boyle, chairman; Mrs. J. J. McCausland, Mrs. J. Conlon, Mrs. Maher and Mrs. A. Commerford.

GOOD ENDORSEMENT FOR LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL

Concerning the awarding of a Harvard scholarship to Woodbury Fiske Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Howard of 751 Andover street, Headmaster Henry H. Harris of the high school, today received the following complimentary letter from Henry Pennypacker, chairman of the committee on admission to Harvard university:

"Mr. Dear Mr. Harris: By vote of the faculty of arts and sciences, a list is published each year of those candidates for admission to our freshman class whose records at the examinations of the college entrance examination board were of honor grade. In this list for the current year I find the name of Woodbury Fiske Howard, who received preparations at your school. Will you please accept for yourself and your teachers my personal congratulations on the excellent scholarship exhibited by this candidate. We look forward to receiving other boys prepared at your school exhibiting like standards of scholarship."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

It's a classy bill at Keith's theatre this week with M. Alphonse Berg headliner with his "Creations," an affair which enlists the services of two remarkably pretty models, and in which he constructs dresses of varied types in two minutes. One he puts together in 30 seconds. In another instance, he takes a piano cover and fashions it into a delightful affair. The remainder of the bill is of the first rate, with Demarest & Collette in their inimitable act of music and fun and acrobatics, and with Burns & Lynn in the snappiest comedy dancing turn seen here in a long time. Another good act is that of Thomas P. Jackson & Co. in "The New Stenographer." It is very well played. The remainder of the bill consists of: Anita Diaz's Monkeys, Ed and May Ernie and Bolger Bros.

THE STRAND

The story of "Who Are My Parents?" the feature film attraction on the Strand program, is clearly indicated by the title. Today, when tales of infidelity are so common upon the stage, the clean, wholesome atmosphere of this picture will come as a welcome relief. The American public has always declared itself in favor of heart stories that show a due respect to the sanctity of the home. That's why this picture is successful. Roger Lytton, Peggy Shaw and others of screen note are in the cast. Hoot Gibson in "The Lone Hand" is the second feature and there is a comedy and weekly, as well as other features.

RIALTO THEATRE

Henry Walthall and Marjorie Daw in "The Long Chance," and Grace Davidson in "The Splendid Lie," are concluding an engagement at the Rialto theatre today. The other features of the same program have a Harold Lloyd comedy and the Rialto News Review.

WILL OBSERVE 25th ANNIVERSARY

Branch St. Andre, A.C.F., will on Feb. 4 next, observe the 25th anniversary of its affiliation with the Artisans Canadiens Francais of Montreal. The observance will be in the form of a solemn high mass in the morning, probably at St. Joseph's church, and a mass meeting at the C.M.A.C. hall in the afternoon.

Final action on the matter was taken at a meeting held last evening with delegates present from the various other local branches of the order. The meeting was presided over by Alfred L. Leblanc and Secretary Tancrede L. Blanchette gave a report of the financial standing of the society and also stated that since the early part of last month 115 new members were initiated.

There were remarks by Organizer C. E. Bazin and resolutions were adopted on the recent death of Organizer J. M. Dupont of Nashua. In the course of the meeting it was voted to invite Bishop Lepailleur of Montreal, Que., chaplain general of the order, and President General Bedard and Secretary General Roy, both of Montreal, to attend the festivities.

CLEVER END MEN IN Y. M. C. I. SHOW

The endmen in the Y.M.C.I. show, "Under the Spotlight," comprise a sextet of entertainers hard to beat. Good singers, great funsters, clever dancers, etc., they keep things moving along in great style throughout the first part of this musical extravaganza. The sextet is composed of Frank McCartin, who without a doubt is the best endman in the city and who never fails to bring joy to his audience by his presence; Patrick Maguire, a singer of note and a fine entertainer; Frank O'Neill, a Y.M.C.I. favorite and a clever entertainer; Edward (Tip) Handley, who needs no introduction to Lowell people and who keeps things moving along at all times; Charles Clancy, the dancing endman and a great favorite; and Joseph Craven, a rare gem, who can sing, dance and entertain in A No. 1 style and whose comedy is rich. Tickets are selling fast for the production, which is to be repeated at the Auditorium on Monday evening, next, and are on sale at various stores down town and throughout the city. Many were disappointed Thanksgiving night because of being unable to gain admission, so all are advised to secure their tickets early and not wait until the night of the performance.

PREPARING STUDENTS FOR TEACHING

What may prove of interest to students in Lowell schools contemplating a career of teaching is the recent announcement of the College of Liberal Arts of Boston university, that two good courses will be opened at the school in a short time. The first concerns high school graduates who want to teach and to these the College of Liberal Arts of the university offers a four-year course with electives in education. More than one-half of all the graduates of this college enter the teaching profession.

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WAR PREMIER VISITS WAR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—America's wartime president and France's wartime premier met here late yesterday for the first time since the signing of the peace treaty at Versailles more than three years ago. The meeting was at the S street home of Mr. Wilson and lasted just a little more than a quarter of an hour.

M. Clemenceau described his visit as one of the utmost cordiality and affection as between old friends, adding that he and the former president had talked a little about old times in Paris and also about "the past and the present."

Mr. Wilson made no reference to the purpose of the visit of the former premier of France to America, or the subject matter of his addresses in this country. M. Clemenceau continued, but smiled and seemed pleased when told that the mention of his name and of the 14 points had elicited more applause from the French statesman's audiences than any other one thing.

Describing Mr. Wilson as somewhat stouter than at the time of his visit to France, M. Clemenceau said he appeared as mentally alert as ever and that there was no noticeable difference in his voice. Also he declared that the former president showed a great clearness of view and precision of thought.

The former chief executive received his distinguished visitor in the library on the second floor of his home. Mrs. Wilson was with him when M. Clemenceau arrived, but retired immediately. Mr. Wilson remained seated throughout the visit, the former premier said, adding that he did not prolong his stay because his host appeared to be fatigued.

The call at the Wilson home was an incident of one of the busiest days M. Clemenceau has had since he landed on American shores.

"Tiger" Rests Today

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Rising a little later than is his usual habit after the strenuous day of yesterday and a night address which kept him up late, Georges Clemenceau today faced a comparative lull in his program. Luncheon with President Harding at the White House at 1.30 o'clock, was the only scheduled event for the day.

Whether his capacity for sight-seeing would continue to keep the Tiger on the move on the next to the last day of his visit here, or whether he would take advantage of the easier program to rest and "point" for the concluding and important speech tomorrow before the conference of public opinion on world peace, he was apparently letting the day decide.

Announced as the only "formal" address on his program here, Clemenceau was understood to be reversing the high spots of his argument for American co-operation in French affairs for that hour. He plans to leave the capital almost immediately after concluding his address for Philadelphia, delivering another there Saturday and moving on leisurely to Chicago for his final speech there Monday.

Caruso Memorial Candle Completed

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A candle of chemically treated beeswax, five feet in circumference at the base, 16 feet high and weighing one ton, known as the Enrico Caruso Memorial Candle, has just been completed in the studios of Antonio Ajello and Brother, and will soon be shipped to Pompeii, Italy. It cost $3700 and was made to the order of an orphan asylum in New York of which Caruso was a generous benefactor.

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LAST TIMES TODAY

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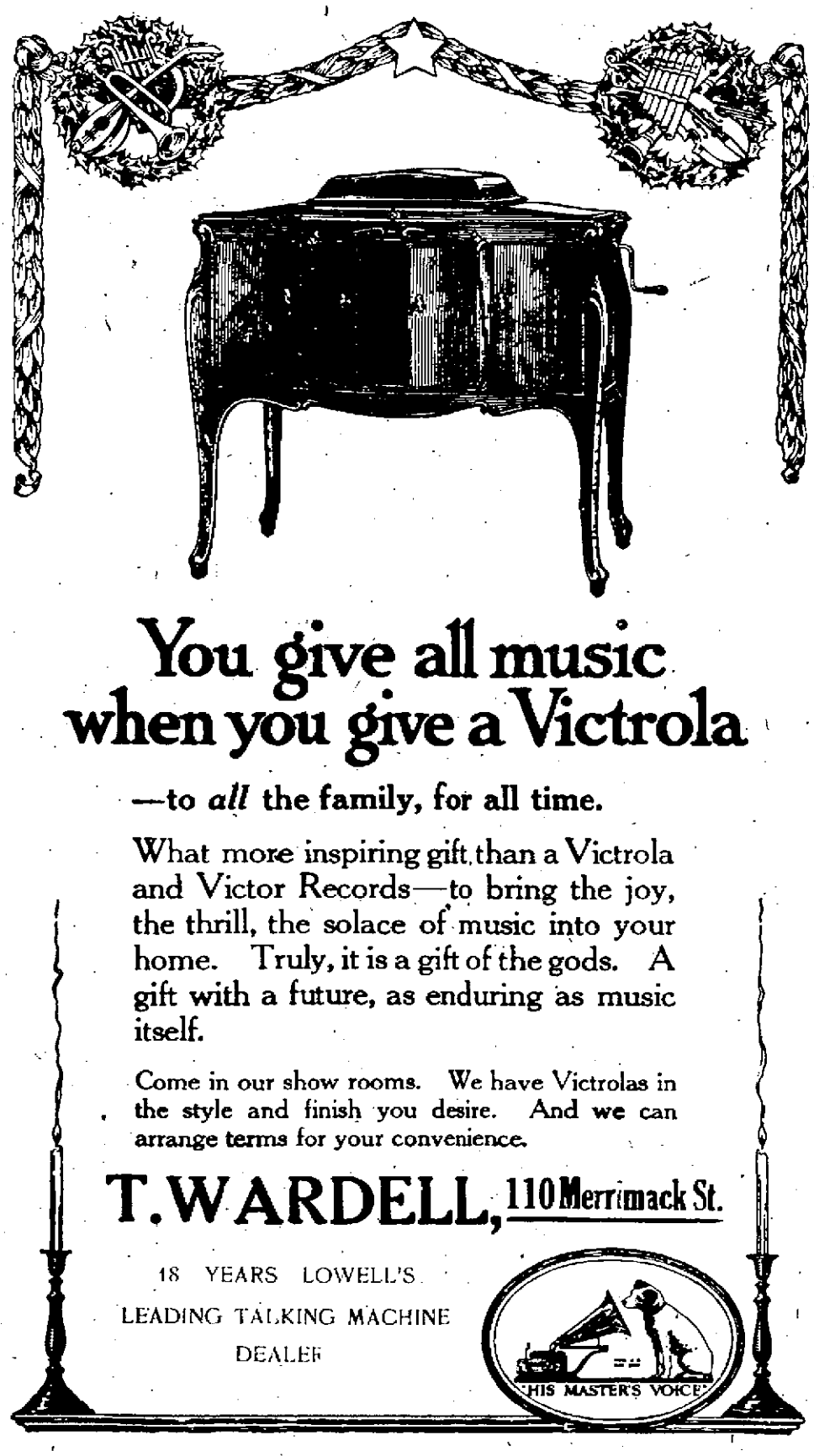

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Lowell	9	9	50.0
Worcester	11	11	50.0
Portland	8	11	42.1
Providence	7	12	36.8

GAMES TONIGHT

Lowell at Salem.
Providence at Portland.

WORCESTER, Dec. 7.—New Bedford defeated Worcester in the Casino last night in the fastest polo game of the season here, 5 to 4. The goal-tending of P. Welch for New Bedford was the feature. The summary:

NEW BEDFORD	WORCESTER
Duggan, lr	lr, E. Pierce
Higgins, 2 r	2r, S. Pierce
T. Welch, c	c, Jean
Gardner, hb	hb, Muirhead
P. Welch, g	g, Conley

Score: New Bedford 5, Worcester 4. Rushes: Duggan 10, E. Pierce 2. Goals, Duggan 2, Higgins 2, T. Welch 1, S. Pierce 2, E. Pierce 1, Jean 1. Stops, P. Welch 71, Conley 43. Referee, Burkett.

POLO NOTES

The Salem team continues to play great polo and it is a shame the fans down that way do not appreciate the efforts of Lefty Tyler and turn out in larger numbers. Failure to better patronize the Salem games may result in the team being transferred to another city and it is understood several cities are anxious to get into the league.—Exchange.

Tyler has certainly made good in his first venture in polo. He has assembled a fine team and has all players working harmoniously and effectively. He has the paper and the loyal fans in "Witchtown" with him but the attendance figures are far below what the brand of polo dispensed is worthy of.

On Friday night Tyler will bring his Salem team to Lowell and his friends here as well as the friends and admirers of his players, headed by "Big Bob" Hart, will no doubt turn out in large numbers to greet him.

With Evans scheduled to join the Portland team tonight the Casco bay entry will be one of the fastest in the league. Evans will play center, with Griffith going to halfback. This will give the club four men up on skates. All are good hard and accurate drivers and the quartet ought to score many goals.

The race is tightening up and a glance at the standing will show that a bad week for the leaders with a good week for the tail enders would bring about many changes. All teams are still in the fight and with all managers still out to strengthen up the weak links the prospects for a great race are very bright.

CLINTON-FERGUSON BOUT IS CALLED OFF

The Johnny Clinton-Tracy Ferguson bout scheduled for tonight as the feature event of the Moody club show at the Crescent rink has been called off, owing to the fact that Clinton met with an injury while finishing his training yesterday. His eye, which was injured in his bout here with Tony Julian, was opened again. Manager Dodge when informed of the accident cancelled the show rather than attempt to obtain a substitute to meet Ferguson.

Word was received from Jack Leahy today to the effect that there is no truth in the reports that Phinny Boyle, the local lightweight, had decided to retire from the game. Jack says Phinny has been doing light training for a couple of weeks and will be back in the game in the very near future. Boyle is particularly anxious to meet Charlie Parker and according to Leahy, stands ready to step into the ring against the Boston boy at any time.

Young George Gardner, another local lightweight of promise, who has not fought since his bout here with Boyle last spring is also training with the intention of again hopping back into the game. He has put on a little weight and feels that this is just what he needed. He would like to again tackle Boyle, as the score is even, each having one decision to his credit. He also declares he would be glad to take on Tony Julian again. He won over Julian in Boston about a year ago.

BROWN SHADES JULIAN

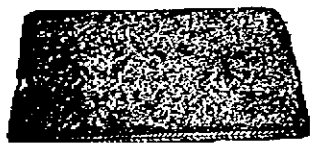
BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Although Harry Kid Brown, the Philadelphia lightweight, received the decision over Tony Julian, the young Brockton boxer, in their fast, 10-round bout at the Armory A.A. last night, he knew when the battle was over that he had been in one of the toughest fights of his career.

It was only by a slight margin that Brown gained the honors. There were a great many of the fans who left the club feeling that Julian was the winner. That the latter was able to do as well as he did was a big surprise. It was his third fight in a week and each one a hard one.

Brown, who is a well-seasoned boxer, was able to ward off defeat through his experience. Many times he went to a clinch because of the battering he was receiving from Julian.

LOOKING FOR GAMES

The Varnum Independents would like to arrange a series of basketball games with the Y.M.H.A., the Athenian A. C. or the Y.M.C.A. advanced boys, or any other 120-125 pound team in the city. Answer through this paper or call 4565-Y and ask for Geo. Kelly.



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LOWELL KENNEL CLUB HAS BANNER SHOW

The Lowell Kennel club's dog show last evening surpassed anything held by this organization since its "A.K.C." show last Decoration day. Entries arrived early at Odd Fellows hall, where the exhibition was held, and competition in all classes was very keen. A large number of out-of-town dog owners were present, including fanciers of note with excellent animals brought along for exhibition purposes.

The success of the show augurs well for future exhibits and contests.

The judges did not complete their assignments until 15 minutes before midnight.

The prize winners were as follows:

Boston Terrier classes: Under three months, first, "Lucky Strike," owned by Guy Kenney; second, "Star," owned by Mr. Demais of Lawrence, and third, "Punch," owned by Edward Boland; from three to six months, first, "K.C.," owned by Mr. Moosh of Haverhill; second, "Dandy Boy," owned by Joseph Foley; six to nine months, first, "Slicker," owned by Mrs. Caron of Lawrence, second, "Clark's Tokio," owned by Mr. Clark, and third, "Sweet," owned by Mr. Demodana; nine to 12 months, first, "Just," owned by Mrs. Lovett, and "Jacques," owned by Mrs. Frost; under 15 pounds, first, "Dandy Boy," owned by Joseph Foley; second, "Star," owned by Mr. Demais, and third, "Rexhome King," owned by Mr. Cormack; 15 to 20 pounds, novice class, first, "Jacques," owned by Mrs. Frost; second "Algo," owned by Mr. Caron, and third, "Daddy," owned by Mr. Lees; limit class, first, "Rialto Rio," owned by Mrs. Dinneen; second, "Jacques," owned by Mrs. Frost, and third, "Ugo," owned by Mr. Caron; 20 to 25 pounds, first, "Buddy," owned by Mrs. Robinson; limit and open, first, "Gold Dollar," owned by John Davis, and second, "Buddy," owned by Mrs. Robinson; best Boston male, "Rialto Rio," owned by Mrs. Dinneen.

Boston Terrier, female: Under three months, "Dream," owned by Mrs. Lovett; second, "Duchess," owned by Mrs. McSweeney, and third, "Banty Toss," owned by P. Grady; three to six months, "Bessie," owned by Mr. Lynch, "Beauty," owned by Mr. St. Jacques, and "Beauty," owned by Mr. Cahill; nine to 12 months, "Kelley Trixie," owned by Miss Grant, and "Pitter," owned by T. F. Donovan; under 15 pounds, novice, limit and, open, first, "Lucky," owned by Mrs. Robinson, and second, "Cyr's Bijou," owned by Mr. Cyr of Lawrence; 15 to 20 pounds, novice, limit and open, "Dream," owned by Mr. Mooch, "Mignonette," owned by Mrs. Dinneen, and "Hood's Sweetie," Mrs. Mooch; 20 to 25 pounds, novice, "Danger," owned by Mrs. Lovett, "Grant's," owned by Miss Grant, and "Spindle City Lady," owned by Mr. Cahill; limit and open, first, "Y Z," owned by Mr. Mooch, second, "Danger," and third, "Grant's Bonnie"; best Boston female in the show, "Y Z," owned by Mr. Mooch; best Boston from Lawrence, "Ugo," owned by Mr. Caron; male first, "Pippin," owned by Mr. St. Jacques; female, "Vic," owned by Mrs. Robinson, and "Beauty," owned by Mrs. Lovett.

English bulls, puppies, first and second, "Teddy" and "Billy," owned by Mr. Hanley; senior puppy, "Rival English Duchess" and "Rival English Lady," owned by Mr. Swan of Lawrence. Both duplicated in the novice and limit classes. Special under six months, "Teddy," and special over six months, "Rival English Lady."

French bulls, puppies under six, first, "Billy Boy," owned by Mr. Gallagher, second, "Monte," owned by Mr. Willett, and third, "Bud," owned by Mr. Conners; six to nine months, "Buttons," owned by Mr. Cunha; nine to 12 months, "Punch," owned by I. E. Wotton. These duplicated in the novice, limit and open classes. French bull heavies, first "Buttons," owned by Mr. Cunha, and second, "Billy," owned by Mr. Hanley; special puppy male, "Punch," and female, "Flapper," owned by Miss Grady.

Cocker spaniels, novice, limit and open, "King Cole," owned by R. R. Smith. Prince Charles spaniels, 3, 6, 9 and 12 months, "Nona," owned by Mrs. A. Dyar. Blenheim spaniels, 3 to 12 months, "Peggy," owned by Mrs. Dyar; novice, limit and open, "Snowboy," owned by Mrs. Dyar. Spitz males, 9 to 12 and novice classes, "Teddy," owned by Mrs. Mullarkey; females, first, "Beauty," and second, "Lucky," both owned by Mrs. Enos.

Pomeranians, novice, limit and open, first, "Simp," Mr. Fournier, second, "Brownie," owned by Miss Gordon, and third, "Bijou Boy," owned by Mrs. Wescott; female, first and winner of four specials, "Princess Daisy." Maltese terriers, novice, limit and open, "Queenie," owned by Mrs. Coburn. Black and tan, novice, limit and open, "Little Blackie," owned by R. Dube; female, same classes, "Weenie," owned by R. Patterson.

Airedales, under three months, owned by A. Lynch; 3 to 6 and 6 to 9 months, "Mickey," owned by Mr. Ferguson; second, "Marion," owned by Mr. Beardsall, and third, "Black Prince," owned by H. Bailey; females, 3 to 6 months, first, "Peggy" owned by Mrs. Newhall, and second, "Jeff," owned by Mr. Ferguson; 6 to 9 months, first, "Miss Boniface," owned by Mrs. Newhall; 9 to 12 months, "Fairy," owned by E. Murphy, and "Climber C" and "Lord Bob," owned by Mrs. Newhall; Airedales, novice, first, "Salt River," owned by J. Livingston; second, "Brigadine," owned by F. Park, and third, "Whiskers," owned by S. Burnham; all duplicated in the limit; open, first, "Climber C," second, "Lord Bob," both owned by Mrs. Newhall, and third, "Salt River," owned by Livingston; females, novice, first, "Lassie," owned by F. Park; second, "Nancy," owned by Mr. Foster, and third, "Bouncing Bet," owned by N. Newell; limit, first, "Miss Boniface," Mrs Newhall; second, "Lassie," and third, "Nancy." Open, first, "Lady Ruffles," owned by Mr. Beardsall; second, "Lassie," and third "Nancy."

Foxhounds: females, 1 to 3 months, first; "Freeze," owned by H. Nixon, second; "Mossy," owned by Mr. McKenzie, and third, "Belle, owned by F. Lorrie; 3 to 6 months, "Dick," owned by Mr. McKenzie; 6 to 9 months, "Jack," E. Mansur, and 9 to 12 months, first, "Togo," J. Monahan, 2nd, "Jack," males novice, first, "Togo," owned by Mr. Monahan, second, "Jack," owned by E. Mansur; limit, "Bruiser," owned by F. Bassett, second, "Jock;" open, first, "Doctor," owned by F. A. Bassett, and second, "Jack." Females, novice, limit and open, "Lady," owned by Sam McCord. Male, special, "Bruiser," and female, "Lady."

English setter, novice, limit and open, "Vesper," J. Gove and second, "Teddy," B. Simpson. Specials won by "Teddy" and "Vesper." Pointer, novice, limit and open special, "Nick," owned by T. Waters.

Beagles, male novice, limit, open and special, "Pep," owned by A. Ahearn; females, "Chip," owned by H. Mills. Collies, 3 to 6, females, "Tessie," owned by F. Collins.

BOWLING

There were several contests on the local alleys last night. The scores:

BOOTT MILL LEAGUE

WEAVING

D. Holgate	94	103	95	292
B. Lawson	82	80	97	259
Fralick	83	82	81	246
B. Doherty	86	96	84	266
H. Dickerson	98	103	121	322
Totals	443	463	479	1385

SPINNING

Bozek	85	110	84	279
T. Stankiewicz	80	84	74	238
P. Morin	80	89	91	260
Wojcik	80	97	78	255
A. Jacques	100	89	92	281
Totals	425	469	419	1313

ELECTRICAL

W. Marsh	109	91	53	253
H. Hall	94	91	106	282
W. Gendreau	79	109	89	277
T. Kenney	78	86	89	253
F. Regan	83	82	81	246
Totals	443	459	447	1349

STOREHOUSE

C. Sheehan	96	87	97	280
R. Abbott	83	87	84	234
Sub.	78	82	81	241
J. Desrosiers	89	82	77	248
J. McKenzie	95	88	87	270
Totals	441	436	426	1303

MECHANICAL

L. Duffy	95	84	98	278
F. Fratus	87	80	114	281
R. Hall	86	103	93	282
J. Williams	80	93	78	251
H. McKeon	86	81	86	253
Totals	434	441	464	1339

OFFICE

H. Cote	82	79	85	246
J. Cox	98	80	85	263
W. Noberg	71	93	95	258
F. Kelliher	99	104	117	320
W. Belyean	97	94	81	273
Totals	447	449	463	1359

CARDING

F. Frappier	81	92	107	280
W. Sullivan	105	98	116	319
B. Dearborn	100	83	91	283
W. Brown	87	79	76	243
M. Fraytus	84	92	80	256
Totals	466	444	470	1380

CLOTH ROOM

F. Bridges	85	93	82	260
A. Lucier	102	82	92	276
L. Richards	83	80	89	252
K. Dickinson	88	81	87	256
A. Desmarais	86	106	85	277
Totals	450	443	425	1317

BAY STATE MILLS

TEAM A

Daley	99	106	103	303
Goulding	106	120	122	348
Farrett	120	98	84	302
Reughan	110	106	104	320
Sub	83	90	91	264
Totals	518	520	504	1542

TEAM D

Badger	97	91	78	266
Jones	90	91	91	272
Laffey	93	94	109	296
Whitehead	87	95	101	283
Giffin	83	90	96	269
Totals	450	461	475	1386

TEAM F

Atkinson	83	100	96	279
Leary	94	86	89	269
Ashton	80	94	81	255
Fligg	87	116	89	292
Brown	75	92	86	253
Totals	420	488	433	1341

TEAM B

Corr	90	80	89	259
Horrigan	76	83	80	239
Benoit	76	84	79	239
Keohane	97	76	90	263
McPherson	93	86	102	281
Totals	432	409	440	1281

TEAM E

Badger	85	108	89	285
Taylor	83	98	100	281
Ripley	78	74	108	258
Teague	78	87	90	255
Adams	83	94	107	284
Totals	409	461	499	1373

TEAM C

Higgins	77	65	93	235
Sub	76	74	89	239
Waterhouse	91	93	82	264
McKenna	77	87	83	247
Tyrrell	94	95	89	278
Totals	415	414	436	1265

COL-TEX VS. GIANTS

COL-TEX

F. Dacey	99	116	87	302
Livingston	98	111	103	312
Hurley	105	79	90	274
B. Hart	85	94	107	286
Brown	88	86	93	267
Totals	475	486	480	1441

GIANTS

D. Mullarkey	93	94	94	281
Shea	79	97	84	260
Dugas	99	79	104	273
Byrnes	85	74	87	246
W. Mullarkey	96	87	82	264
Totals	442	431	451	1324

WRECKERS VS. ALL STARS

WRECKERS

A. Breen	118	81	86	285
Cawley	87	84	85	256
Dumont	90	83	76	249
Ward	85	96	75	256
Golden	111	91	98	300
Totals	491	434	421	1346

ALL STARS

Carroll	108	90	90	288
J. Dacey	72	82	80	234
Gardner	99	80	93	272
O'Hare	83	83	83	249
J. Eastman	95	81	97	273
Totals	457	416	443	1316

Standing and Averages

The team standing and individual averages of the Mercantile, the Merrimack and the Boott Mills leagues are as follows:

MERCANTILE LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pinfall
Hobson & Lawlor Co.	25	12	13970
Bon Marche D. G. Co.	21	13	13936
A. G. Pollard Co.	24	16	13865
xNew England Laundry	21	15	12646
J. L. Chalifoux Co.	20	20	13433
Burbeck Milk Co.	18	22	13177
xAdams Hardware Co.	9	27	11794
Turner Cen. Creamery	8	32	13911

x—One game to roll off.

Individual averages: J. LeBrun 101.13, F. Gilman 98.22, A. Durgin 98.3, Dean 97.26, Jewett 97.6, Martin 96.1, Taylor 95.1, O'Neil 94.1, Finnerty 94.1, B. Durgin 93.21, Rhodes 93.19, Couture 93.5, Walker 92.19, Queenan 92.8, Larose 92.4, Roth 91.10, Burrill 91.7, Allard 91.3, McCall 91.3, Dixon 91.2, Morton 90.6, Axel Hallenborg 90.4, McMahon 89.24, Tucker 89.16, Durkin 89.13, A. Hallenborg 89.1, Marshall 88.21, O'Brien 88.15, Peterson 88.5, A. Kenyon 88.1, Vincent 88, Neary 87.18, A. Gilman 87.14, Dunlap 87.4, Hobson 85.1, Bean 83.13, Norwood 83.1, Gage 82.3, Downs 81.2.

MERRIMACK LEAGUE

TEAM STANDING

	W.	L.	Pinfall
Velvet	32	8	13803
Corduroy	24	16	11957
Warp Twisters	24	16	13556
Motive Power	20	16	12426
Card & Spinning	20	16	12214
Shop	17	23	13169
Khaki	15	25	12197
Office	4	36	12052

High team three strings, Velvet, 1465; second, Warp Twisters, 1461, high individual three strings, Foye, 357; second, Maguire, 339; high individual single, Foye and Lane, 139; second, Burns 131.

Averages: Lane 98.18, Foye 98.16, Sheridan 96.21, Maguire 96.6, Bainville 96.5, Heald 96.2, Dhont 95.23, Collins 95.3, Lafortune 95.2, Sanborn 94.7, Panton 94.7, Capper 93.25, Thurston 93.19, Dynass 93.15, Baldwin 93.13, Fitzgerald 93.5, Burrows 93.3, O'Dea 93, J. Moran 92.9, Wrenn 92.7, Webb 92.3, Lowe 92.1, H. Eyres 91.13, Thursby 91.5, Lancaster 90.20, Benoit 90.15, Holt 90.17, Garneau 90.13, Pascall 89.13, Waring 89.7, Clairemont 89.1, Taylor 88.12, Burns 88.7, Moran 88.6, Rowe 88.2, St. John 88.1, Murray 87.8, Mulrenin 87.3, Clarke 86.19, Meehan 86.3, Owens 86.2, Holmes 85.14, Millman 85.10, McDonald 85.4, Robertson 84.8, Gendron 84.8, Morris 84, Fairburn 83.12, Brown 82.2, Vickery 71.10.

BOOTT MILLS TEAM STANDING

	W.	L.	Pinfall
Spinning	28	4	11073
Weaving	20	12	10458
Office	20	12	9751
Carding	16	16	10062
Mechanical	13	19	10363
Electrical	12	20	10417
Cloth Room	12	20	10225
Storehouse	7	25	10429

Individual High 3 String: J. Bozek 337, H. McKeon 323, R. Hall 317.

High Team Three Strings: Spinning 1439, Office 1437, Spinning 1425.

Individual High String: W. Marsh 123, W. Belyea 122, R. Hall, 121, H. McKeon 121.

High Team Single: Office 521, Spinning 520.

Individual Averages: H. McKeon 98.3, J. Bozek 97., A. Jacques 94.9, H. Kelleher 94.5, W. Belyea 93.6, St. Wojick 92.11, H. Dickenson 92.9, B. Doherty 92.5, W. Marsh 92.1, R. Hall 91.7, M. Fratus 90.8, R. Hall 90.4, A. Desrosiers 90.4, J. Cox 90.2, J. Williams 89.18, Stankiliviz 89.15, H. Fralick 89.13, D. Sullivan 89.11, H. Cote 89.10, F. Dickenson 89.8, D. Holgate 89.3, J. McKenzie 88.20, B. Lawson 88.8, W. Gendreau 88.17, P. Morin 88.7, B. Dearborn 88.7, C. Sheehan 88.4, J. Lucier 88.3, W. Brown 88.2, W. Desmond 88.1, G. Duff 87.14, F. Frappier 87.8, A. Desrosiers 87.6, T. Carty 86.8, L. Duffy 85.16, R. Abbott 85.15, A. Gionet 85.2, J. Bridges 85, F. Regan 83.20, W. Nyberg 83.20, W. Fortier 83.17, F. Fratus 83, T. Kenney 82.6, W. Higgins 72.1.

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FIGHT TO EXTERMINATE BASEBALL POOLS

LOUISVILLE, Ky. Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press) A fight to exterminate baseball pools was pledged to Commissioner Landis by major and minor leaguers today as a result of the commissioner's appeal last night to wipe out what he termed the greatest menace to the sport.

The commissioner with characteristic severity, called the operator of a baseball pool "the slimiest, lowest form of criminal in existence," and declared he would accept no excuse from any club official for not making a fight to stop pool operations.

SOCIAL AND DANCE BY H. S. FOOTBALL TEAM

A well attended social and dance, under the auspices of the Lowell high school football team, was held in Coburn hall of the high school last night. Several hundred young couples were present and enjoyed the program of general dancing from 8 until 11 o'clock. Headmaster Henry H. Harris was present as a special guest of the football team and during an intermission, congratulated the squad for its part in helping the alumni association erect a stadium at Spalding park. The proceeds of the dance will be donated to the stadium fund.

The matrons for last night's party were Mrs. Jas. P. Roane, Mrs. Robert Marden, Mrs. Bennett Silverblatt, Mrs. Edward W. Trull and Mrs. Charles McIntyre. Capt. John McManmon, of the football team, assisted by the other members of the squad, had general charge of the affair.

BASKETBALL

Two basketball games, followed by dancing, will be held at the St. Anne's parish house tonight. The St. Anne's first team will meet Sharf Nobles while the St. Anne's second team will line up against the Y.H.M.A. Both games are expected to be hotly contested. The first team has a busy season in view and expects to again figure in the fight for the city championship. Several of the stars of last year's great team are back in the game, and the new men are teaming up well with the veterans.

The C.Y.M.L. which has had a high class team for the past several years, will again be represented this season. A meeting of all members of the team will be held at the lyceum gymnasium in Suffolk street tonight.

WILL GO TO GLOUCESTER

On Saturday next, the basketball, bowling and pistol teams of Battery B, 102nd Field Artillery, will journey to Gloucester, where they will meet Battery A, of that city. Capt. Fancuf of the battery requests that all members of the teams report at the armory tonight at 7.30 o'clock for practice.

"HAPPY" CONLON JOINS NAVY

Thomas A. Conlon, better known as "Happy" of 15 Fay street, enlisted in the U. S. navy at the local recruiting station yesterday. "Happy" is best known to Lowell folks through his activities on the gridiron as a popular member of the old Indian football team with which he played for a number of years. He enlisted as a machinist's mate.

NOTED U. S. ATHLETES SAIL

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Three noted American track and field athletes, Jack Merchant, Morris Kirksey and George K. Krogness, will sail from here tomorrow on a tour of New Zealand, which, it is expected, will further athletic relations between the United States and the southern dominion.

NEW PLAYS AT THE GREENHALGE SCHOOL

Principal John G. Walcott of the Greenhalge school has sent special invitations to Headmaster Harris of the high school and to teachers of drama, literature and art in the high school, to attend three new plays in the spirit of the Arabian Nights to be presented in the Greenhalge school on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Dec. 13 and 14. It is the purpose of the principal to prove what can be done with scenic and lighting effects in a grammar school.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

O.M.I. FOOTBALL SQUAD

"Signals Over" is the caption given to the social and dance to be conducted in Associate hall on Tuesday, Dec. 12, by the O.M.I. football squad. Arrangements are now completed for the big event.

CASTLE AND NELSON WIN

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 7.—Mike Castle of Lawrence won the decision over Jack Clifford of New York in the main bout here last night. Benny Nelson of Lowell was awarded the verdict over Kid Lee in the semi-final.

Runaway Train Misses House by Inches

LYNN, Dec. 7.—Six members of the family of William A. McKenzie were saved from death or injury early today when a train of four heavily loaded "runaway" freight cars were deflected from crashing into the McKenzie home by a curbstone. The cars broke through a bumper at the West Lynn freight yards of the Boston & Maine R. R. and continued for 200 feet directly toward the McKenzie home. The train missed the house by a few inches.

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TICKETS FOR COMMERCE CHAMBER DINNER

Tickets for the "Appreciation Dinner" of the chamber of commerce will be a combination of identification card for the coat lapel and a ticket giving the table and seat number. Just as soon as reservations are made, these tickets will be mailed out with the name of the person making the reservation written on the front and table and seat number on the back. This will serve as a ticket for entrance and at the same time prevent any possibility of disarrangement in seating.

By a simple yet ingenious method of checking at the office of the chamber of commerce an accurate record is kept of every reservation so that at any time by glancing at a chart it may be determined just what seats remain vacant. To further facilitate the seating, place cards will be on each plate. With all these elaborate arrangements it is expected that this dinner, unlike the majority of such affairs with all organizations, will start on time, at 6.15 sharp.

The reason for the identification tickets for coat lapels is that there will be plenty of opportunity afforded for promenading and a social time before and after the meeting, and such tickets promote friendliness and good fellowship.

Special invitations have been received by all the members of the board of trade committee and the Auditorium building commission and present returns indicate that all will be present for the occasion. Cong. John Jacob Rogers, who is now busily engaged in Washington, will make an earnest effort to be present.

PAINTERS' UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

A largely attended meeting of local 884, Painters' union, Boston & Maine Federated Crafts, was held last evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street. Considerable business was transacted and the election of officers was held with the following result: John Carroll, president; Chas. Seymour, vice president; Edward Collins, recording secretary; Charles Grant, financial secretary; William Usher, chairman; Charles Seymour, Edward Collins, James Carr and Chas. Grant, shop committee; Henry Morin, warden; William Usher, delegate to the federated crafts. In the course of the meeting those present were addressed by International Organizer Dudley. It was announced that the installation of officers will be held at the first meeting in January.

Old Homestead lodge, 319, I.A. of M. and Valley lodge, 972, Machinists' Helpers, will elect officers for the ensuing year at meetings to be held this evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, at 7.30 o'clock.

MAY ORGANIZE SPEAKERS' BUREAU

Executives of the chamber of commerce have under consideration the organization of a "speakers' bureau," to be comprised of able men competent to discuss before local organizations subjects relating to municipal, county, state and national affairs—but not politics.

As now proposed, the bureau would be at the service of local bodies, who would desire an unbiased explanation of the working of government organization, and the American system of voting.

There has already been a demand for such a service from various women's organizations of the city.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds office since the last were published: Mortimer C. Washburn, Tyngsboro vs. John Marinel and George W. Marinel, known under the firm name of J. Marinel & Son, Chelmsford, action of contract, $2,000. Margaret C. Starkey, Boston vs. Etta Hall and Allen Brown alias Allen Hall, Billerica, action of tort, $1000.

FOR TARIFF ON CATTLE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Representative Hudspeth, democrat, Texas, has introduced a bill to put a tariff on cattle and stock straying over the border or conveyed for temporary pasturage unless returned to the United States in 12 months.

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Pour 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle; then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup, if desired. Thus you make a full pint—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready-made cough syrup.

And as a cough medicine, there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma.

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To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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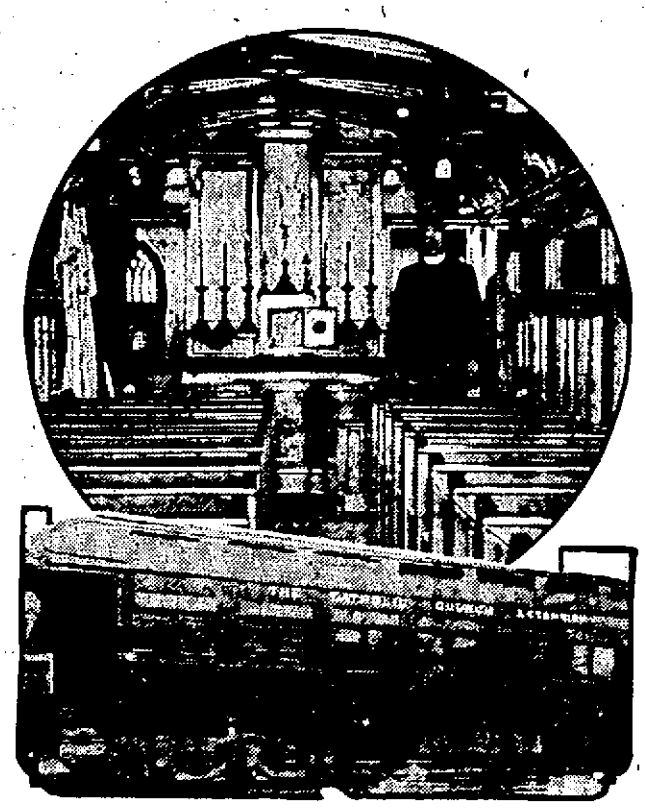

CHAPEL CAR TOURS SOUTH

The missionary car "St. Paul" represents the latest mode of teaching religion in communities where no churches exist. Through mining and lumber camps of the southern states, particularly Texas, this special car, owned by the Catholic Church Extension Society, is in continuous travel. The car seats have been converted into pews and an altar erected at one end. The pastor is Rev. Patrick H. Griffin.

Lt. Hinton Resumes Airplane Flight

PARA, Brazil, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Lieut. Walter Hinton resumed his New York-to-Rio Janeiro airplane flight today. He took the air here at 7 a. m., setting out for Maranhao, down the coast, with the intention of stopping at Braganca to replenish his gasoline supply.

CASES ENTERED IN CAMBRIDGE

The following suits have been entered at the office of the clerk of the superior court at East Cambridge.

Edward Monty, Lowell, vs. Myer Rittenberg of Brookline, action of tort, $300. The plaintiff claims that on Sept. 3 his automobile was struck by that of the defendant in Merrimack street and was badly damaged.

Charlotte McDaniels, Lowell, vs. Myer Rittenberg, Brookline, action of tort, $15,000. The plaintiff alleges to have received personal injuries when the automobile of the defendant collided with that of Edward Monty in which she was riding.

Edward T. Brennan vs. Julius J. Benjamin and Maxwell H. Robinson, owners of the J. L. Robinson & Sons, action of tort, $500. The plaintiff is seeking to recover damages to his automobile as a result of a collision with an automobile owned by the defendants.

Finlay Chisholm vs. Albert J. Ryan, action of contract. In this case the plaintiff seeks to recover damages for the improper construction of residences, claiming neglect of duty on the part of Ryan, whom he claims he had hired as an architect to supervise the work.

George Wolfgang vs. J. Walla s McLean, of Southbridge, action of tort in the sum of $2000. The plaintiff is seeking damages for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained in a collision between his motorcycle and an automobile owned by the defendant in Bridge street, Sept. 2.

Florence Kershaw vs. Angie Kimball, action of contract in the sum of $1000. The plaintiff claims that the defendant had entered into an agreement with her to buy $8300 worth of her property if a Mr. Ferris should purchase another parcel. It is claimed that Mr. Ferris complied with his end of the contract, but the defendant did not.

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McDONALD SMITH TO WED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—McDonald Smith, professional golfer and holder of the 1914 Metropolitan championship of the Atlantic coast, has obtained a license to wed Mrs. Louis Harvey, San Francisco society woman.

FAIR OPENS AT CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Leslie C. Bockes formally opened the fair held last evening in the vestry of the Central M. E. church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. Supper was also served. The fair tables were in charge of the following:

Aprons, Misses Mary and Nellie McAfee; ice cream, Mrs. Robert Young and Miss Lizzie Coote; children's table, Mrs. Blanche Cork and Mrs. Berry; fancy articles, Mrs. L. C. Bockes and Mrs. Bessie Ullock; fish pond, V. S. C. class.

The decorations, red and green, were unique with dimmed lights adding to the general scheme of beautifying the quarters. Miss R. L. Gates, Miss Margaret Dilling and Allan Bockes performed this work. The supper committee consisted of Miss Julia Lewis, Mrs. Daniel Wood, Mrs. Constantineau and Mrs. Blanche Cork.

The entertainment included piano solos by Miss Gertrude Henderson, readings by John Wolfe, songs by Clarence Chenever, accompanied on the piano by John Wolf; reading, Miss Helen Henderson, and a sketch, "The Red Chignon," with Leslie Wadsworth, Jessie Normandy, Violet Wood, Alberta Ryder, Gladys Howard and Bessie Ullock in the cast.

CHRISTMAS SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Christmas supper and entertainment under the auspices of the Chelmsford Centre Unitarian church took place last evening in the church vestry and was largely attended. A roast pork supper was served in the early part of the evening and later a one-act farce entitled "The Obstinate Family" was given, those taking part in the cast being Mrs. William Greig, Perley W. Kimball, Herbert C. Sweetser and Frank Lupien. Other entertainment numbers were given by A. M. Warren. The entertainment was in charge of Mrs. Isaac H. Knight. The committee on Arrangements for the supper consisted of Mrs. G. Leslie Putnam and Mrs. Frank E. McMaster, assisted by Mrs. William Baldwin, Mrs. Wm. Greig, Mrs. Charles Wells, Mrs. Edwin C. Perham, Miss Abbie Ford and Mrs. Katherine Smith. The following men of the society acted as waiters: Perley W. Kimball, G. Leslie Putnam, Clarence Woodward, Ralph W. Emerson, Joseph E. Warren, William H. Hall, H. C. Sweetser, Fred L. Fletcher, Arthur M. Warren and Edwin Warren.

Fuel Committee Distributes Coal

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—The municipal fuel committee is distributing nearly 1700 tons of semi-anthracite coal ordered by more than 1600 customers. The fuel was purchased by the city to aid in relieving the present shortage. Little demand has been reported for a supply of coke offered for sale by the city.

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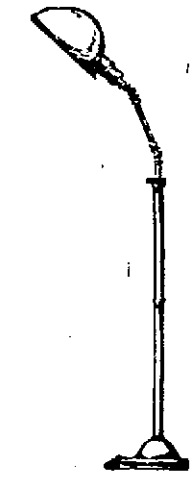

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ONE DIME PAYS A MONTH'S RENT

Here is one of the five houses near May's Landing, N. J., which are rented for ten cents a month—the record low rate in the United States. Here's the explanation: since "time immemorial" the families have occupied these houses and no rent was charged by the owner. Now a corporation has bought the land and to protect its title decided to charge a nominal rent.

Guards for Catholic Churches in Canada

MONTREAL, Dec. 5.—Officials of various Catholic orders today announced elaborate plans for guarding church property against incendiaries, believed to be responsible for fires which have destroyed or damaged several Catholic institutions in Canada, within the last few weeks. Father Louis Lalonde, of St. Mary's Jesuit church in this city, announced that armed guards and trained watch dogs would be used to protect his church and that sacred vessels and historic records would be placed in cement vaults with iron barred windows. Sulpician fathers, guarding the historical Fabrique Notre Dame here added that they would take similar precautions. Church officials made it plain that they believed the outbreak of fires from Montreal to Winnipeg to be a distinctly suspicious nature. Some expressed belief that an organized band of firebugs had started a malicious campaign against churches, convents and Catholic educational institutions.

N. H. Lumber Dealer Shoots Himself

ORFORD, N. H., Dec. 6.—This little town, stirred by the killing of John and Charles Davis, aged brothers, a month ago, and by the suicide of Earl Hibbard, a lumber man ,on Nov. 15, was disturbed again today by the attempt at suicide of Frederick Beddell, a lumber merchant and one of its leading citizens. He shot himself through the head with a revolver at his home. Members of the family, who said they knew of no reason for his act, said he had a slight chance for recovery.

Body of Woman Found, Identified

SWAMPSCOTT, Dec. 6.—Identification of the woman whose body was found at Palmer Beach yesterday, as Marie Larteight of Boston, a maid formerly employed by the family of the late John M. Little of Auburndale, was made today by Dr. H. N. Rowley of this place. An autopsy was to be held later in the day to determine the cause of death. There were a number of cuts about the face and body. It was believed by authorities these were caused by rocks near the shore.

Girl Shot in Church Dies in Hospital

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—Shot during a rehearsal for a church entertainment last night, Edith Hackett, a negress, who was a student at the New England Conservatory of Music, died today. The girl was playing a piano in the vestry of the People's Baptist church, in the Roxbury district, when Arthur L. Carter, one of the actors, testing a pistol to be used in the play in order to make sure it was empty, pointed it behind him and pulled the trigger.

Calls For Investigation of Ku Klux Klan

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6.—Investigation of the Ku Klux Klan activities by a house committee, was proposed in a resolution introduced today by Representative Ryan, republican, New York. The resolution called for an examination of the financial condition of the organization and provided that all such organizations must file with the postmaster general semi-annually the names and addresses of members.

Forged Checks to Give Bride Good Time

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—One week of luxurious ease at the Parker House during which, it was charged by police, a number of worthless checks were passed to give his bride "a wonderful honeymoon" led to the arraignment in municipal court today of George E. Perlot, of the West Roxbury district, on a charge of forgery. He was held in $750 bail and his case was continued for one week. His bride of several weeks returned to her home without the sealskin coat and diamonds that her husband had bought for her. Authorities said she was innocent of any knowledge of the source of his gifts.

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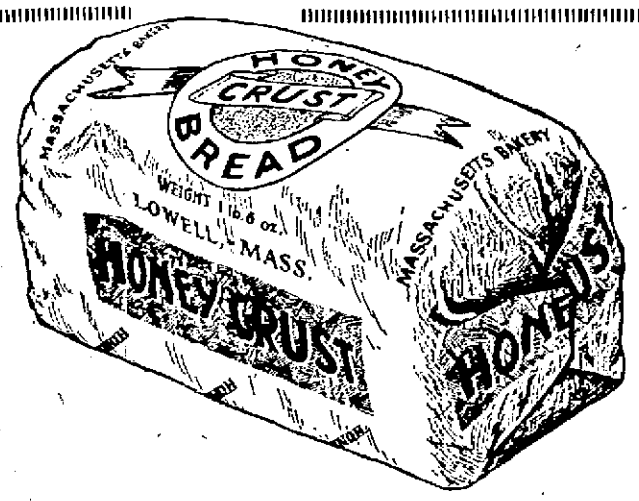

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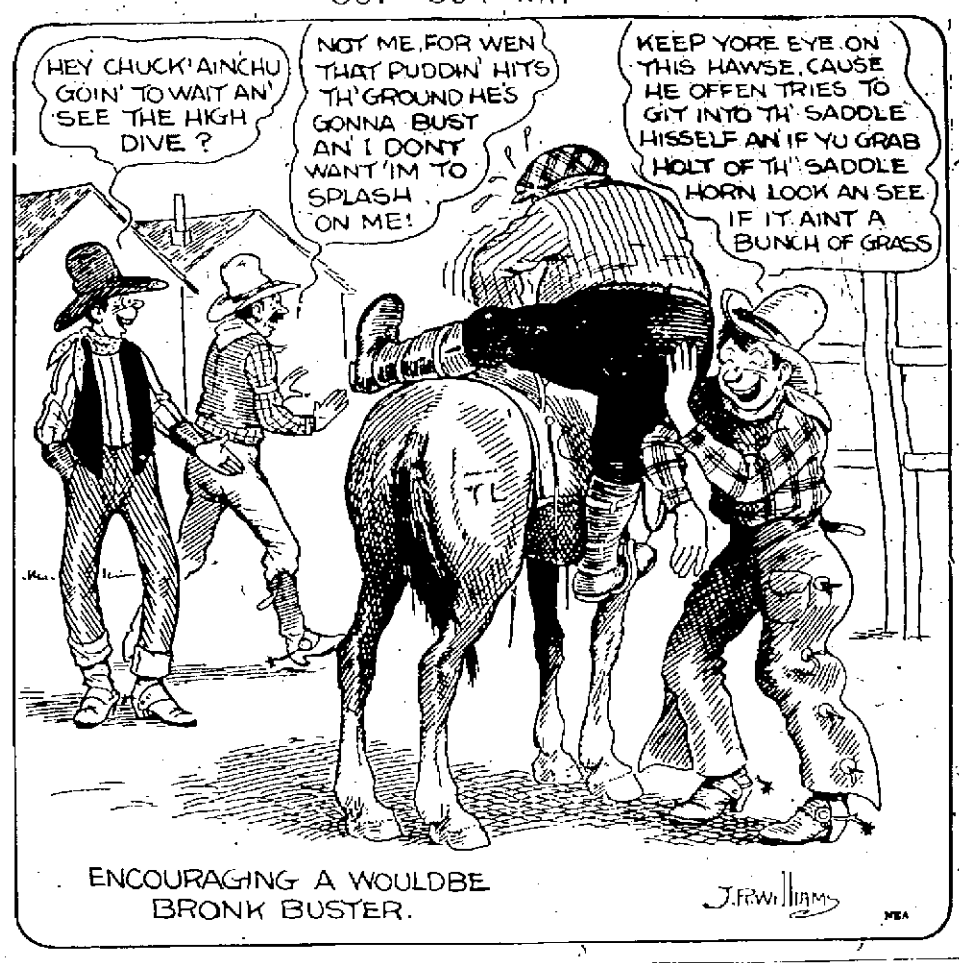

ENCOURAGING A WOULDBE BRONK BUSTER.

DIGNITY IS SHATTERED

Officers at U. S. War College Give Three Cheers and a "Tiger" for Clemenceau

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6 (by the Associated Press).—The dignity of the United States war college was shattered for a moment today, when major generals, brigadiers, colonels and officers of lesser rank gave Georges Clemenceau three cheers and a "Tiger."

Major General MacGlachlin, commandant of the college, acted as cheer leader, massing his colleagues on the front steps of the college building as the Tiger emerged after delivering a 30-minute address.

Before he went to the war college, M. Clemenceau drove to Arlington National cemetery and baring his head, laid a huge wreath on the grave of America's unknown soldier. Later he embarked on the naval yacht Sylph, which had been loaned by Secretary Denby for a trip to George Washington's tomb at Mount Vernon.

PRINCE ANDREW THANKS POPE FOR INTERVENTION

ROME, Dec. 6.—(By the Associated Press) Prince Andrew of Greece, banished by the revolutionary government in Athens for his part in the Greek military disaster in Asia Minor, arrived in Rome at noon today, accompanied by his wife, Princess Alice, and their four daughters.

They went directly to the Vatican, where they were received by Pope Pius. Andrew expressed to the pontiff his heartfelt thanks for the timely intervention of the Vatican during his trial to prevent a sentence of death such as was returned against former Premier Gounaris and the other ex-ministers.

Pope Pius, after expressing his pleasure at seeing the party safely out of their peril and on the way to England, inquired about the situation in Greece and expressed the hope that normal conditions would soon be restored.

Prince Andrew apologized for having asked an audience of the pope on such short notice, but explained that he wished to proceed to London immediately and did not want to miss the opportunity of thanking the pontiff personally for the action taken in his favor.

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

NEWPORT, R. I., Dec. 6.—Ex-Mayor P. J. Boyle, who has been chief executive of this city at different periods for 17 years, was elected mayor in yesterday's municipal election, over Mayor J. P. Mahoney and H. W. Smith by 1207 plurality. The vote was Boyle, 3451; Mahoney, 1955; Smith, 2244.

LONDON, Dec. 6.—(By the Associated Press) The presence in London of Henry P. Fletcher, American ambassador to Belgium, and the expected arrival tonight from Paris of Alanson B. Houghton, ambassador to Berlin, is believed here to foreshadow a conference with Ambassador Harvey relative to the coming meeting here of the allied premiers, to discuss reparations and financial questions.

WESTERLY, R. I., Dec. 6.—Fire destroyed the cutting and polishing plant of the Columbia Granite Works this afternoon, the loss being estimated at $40,000. The fire, the cause of which was unknown, started in the engine-house.

38,826,195 GALLONS OF TAXABLE LIQUORS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 6—There were 38,826,195 taxable gallons of liquors in distilleries and bonded warehouses when the last count was made June 30, last, according to a table filed with the house appropriations committee by the bureau of internal revenue, and made public today.

To show how it is disappearing, the amount under government control and guard, was 3,433,204 gallons less than on the same date in 1921. Here's how much there is:

Whiskey, 36,558,567 gallons; rum, 354,011; gin, 937,584; high wines, 1073; alcohol, 543,347.

Dr. J. M. Doran, chief of the bureau's industrial alcohol division, told the committee there were about 800,000 barrels of whiskey in 293 bonded warehouses, 170 of these warehouses being in Kentucky. Based on the old barrel content, this would seem to figure other than set forth in the table. But whiskey, according to experts, evaporates rapidly in the wood when put aside to age and develop the glow, which made the Kentucky product famous throughout the world.

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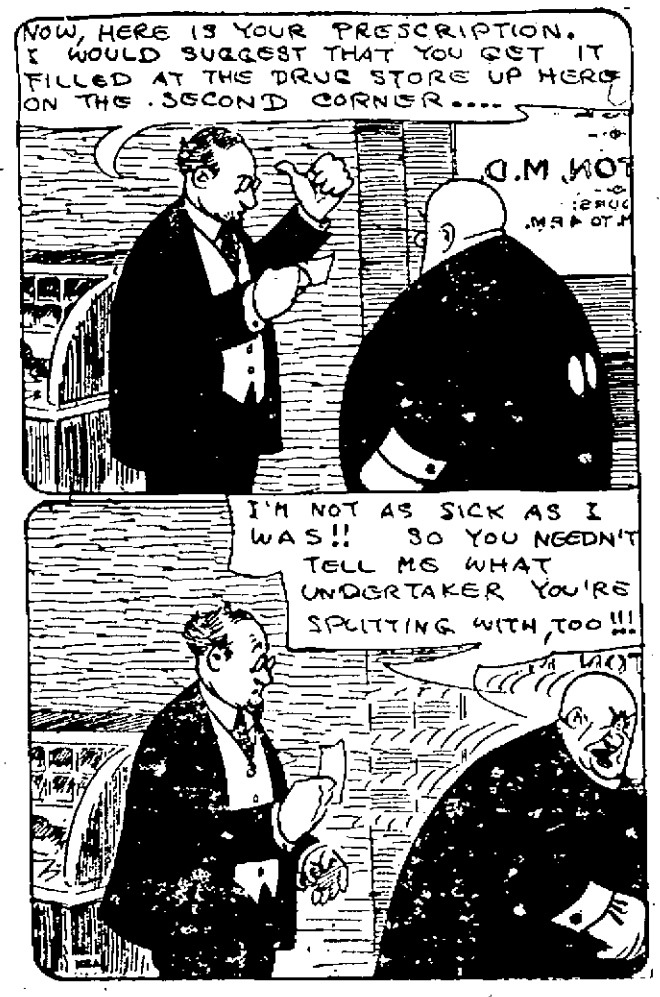

Hints to Home Decorators by Luella Parsons

GREAT MANY WOMEN are very handy about the house and would fix up their homes themselves if they only knew what to use and how to use it.

When they ask me how to brighten old, faded or soiled walls and ceilings, I always say "Muralite them—all you need is a pail, a brush, some hot water, and Muralite." You can do each room for less than two dollars.

Muralite is a powder you mix with hot water and apply over painted walls, plaster, wall board or tightly-pasted wall paper.

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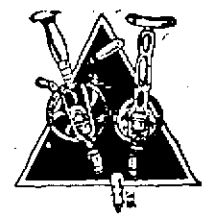

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FIRST CASE OF DIABETIC COMA TO BE CURED

NEW YORK, Dec. 6.—With the recording on what is believed to be the first case of diabetic coma to be successfully arrested in the annals of medicine in this city, medical authorities today expressed high praise for the treatment used—the insulin serum, a recently reported discovery of Doctors F. G. Bantin and C. F. Best, two University of Toronto graduates.

"The insulin treatment, taken from the pancreas of a pig, is undoubtedly one of the greatest scientific contributions of modern times," said Dr. Thomas Howell, superintendent of New York hospital where the successful cure was reported.

Sixteen-year-old George Van Hassel of Brooklyn, was taken to the hospital three weeks ago in a diabetic coma, a state in the disease which heretofore has been regarded as hopeless, given the insulin treatment, and a few days ago was discharged. With careful dieting and periodic injections of the pancrease extracts, physicians said, his life will not be endangered by the disease.

Medical authorities said that with a wider knowledge of the treatment material relief should be afforded to the estimated million sufferers of diabetes in the United States today.

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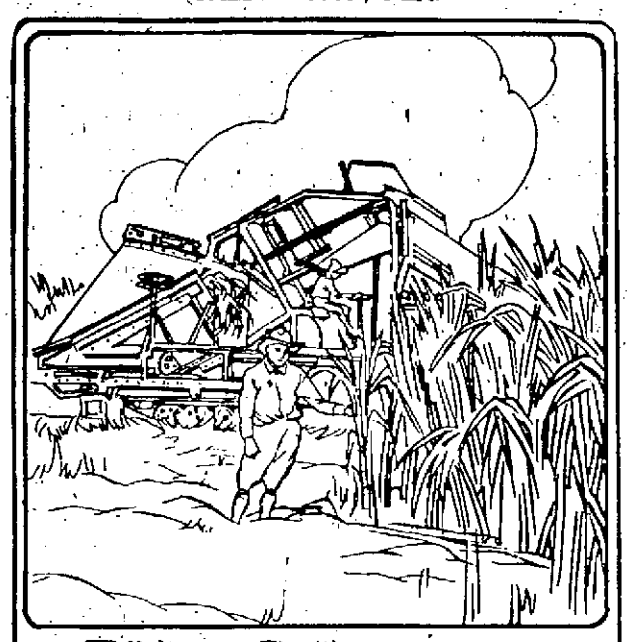

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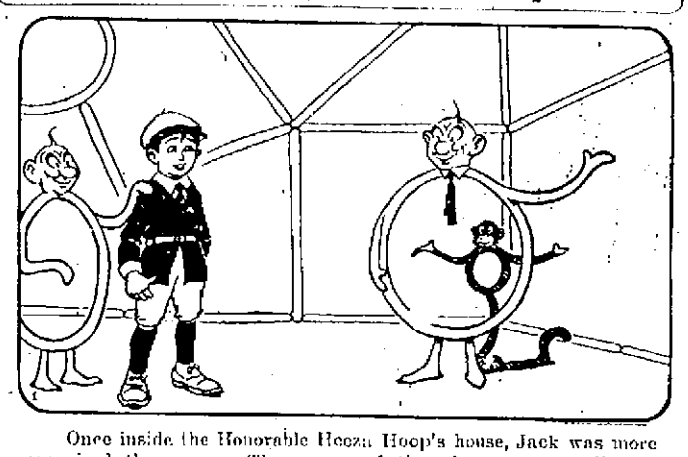
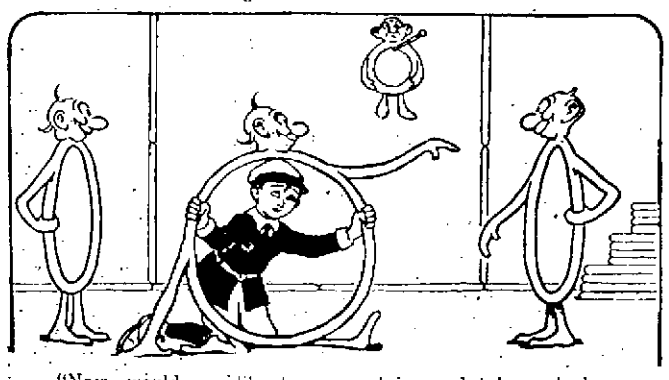
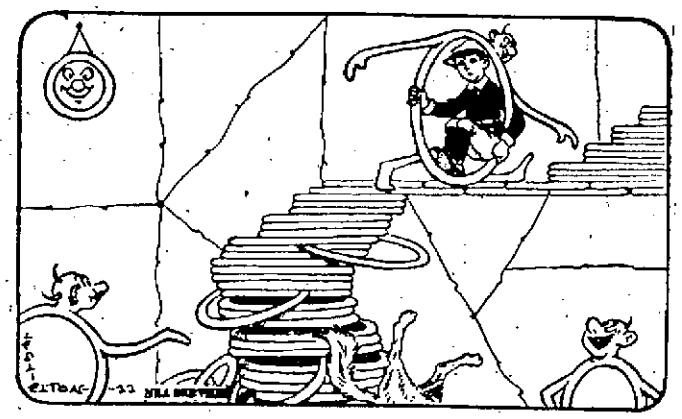
Jack Daw in Hoopland! Chapter 10



Once inside the Honorable Heeza Hoop's house, Jack was more surprised than ever. The owner of the place was standing in front of one corner, but Jack could see right through him and there stood a little monkey with a long tail, hoop ears and a hoop body. Jack had to laugh.



"Now, would you like to go upstairs and take a look over the surrounding country?" asked the Honorable Heeza Hoop. "Sure I would," said Jack. "All right," replied Heeza, "just crawl inside of my trained traveling hoop and it will take you up the hoop stairs in a hurry."



'Twas a funny, hopity hop ride that Jack had. When he reached the top he heard all the hoops, who had remained below, laughing. He looked back and saw Flip trying to climb the steps. Every time, Flip took a step a hoop would roll away and send Flip flying head over heels. (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

GREEN WIZARD FOOLED

"NO SIR!" SAID SCAMPER. BUT YOU CAN LEAVE IT WITH ME IF YOU LIKE."

Nancy and Nick said they would be delighted to help the Green Wizard make his magic.

So wishing themselves up to the top of an old oak tree, the largest in Whispering Forest, they looked around for their new master.

Soon he came striding over the tree-tops in his long green robe and welcomed them cordially.

"My, my, but I'm glad you've come!" he said. "The orders for magical things have been coming in so fast my desk won't hold them all."

"Goodness!" cried Nancy. "Do you make magical things for everybody who asks you?"

"No," answered the Green Wizard. "Not until they have done something to show me they are kind hearted. But I have to watch like sixty so I don't get fooled.

"One day Mr. Scribble-Scratch, the fairy schoolmaster, sent to me for a magic adding pencil.

"Well, sir, I spent days 'n' days 'n' days puzzling my brains over it, but finally I got a pencil fixed up that only made a mistake about twice a week.

"I wrapped it up," went on the wizard, "and took it to his house myself. Who should be on the porch but Scamper Squirrel! 'Is Mr. Scribble Scratch at home?' sez I. 'I've something for him.'

"'No, sir!' sez Scamper. 'But you can leave it with me if you like.'

"'All right,' sez I and handed it over.

"After that Mr. Scamper made one hundred after another in arithmetic. And then I knew he'd kept the pencil. Yes, one has to be careful with magic.

"But come right along, children. My magic work-shop is in the big pine tree."

(To Be Continued)

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FRUIT CARROT PUDDING

BY BERTHA E. SHAPLEIGH, Of Columbia University

Cream 1 cup suet, add 2⅔ cups stale bread crumbs and 1 cup grated raw carrot. Beat the yolks of 4 eggs until very light, and add gradually, while beating constantly, 1 1-3 cups brown sugar. Combine mixtures and add grated rind of 1 lemon and 1 tablespoon strong vinegar. Mix 1 cup raisins, seeded and cut in pieces, and ¾ cup currants; then dredge with 1-3 cup flour mixed and sifted with 1½ teaspoons salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon grated nutmeg, ¼ teaspoon clove. Add to other mixture; then add whites 4 eggs beaten until stiff. Turn into a buttered mold decorated with raisins and citron. Cover and steam 3½ hours.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE

An American marries a wife. A Frenchman takes not only his wife for better or, worse, but her entire kith and kin.

An American mother says, "We have lost our daughter." A French woman says, "We have gained a son."

French parents, speaking of their daughter and her husband, call them "our children." A Frenchman, speaking of his mother-in-law, says "My mother," or "Mamma."

SMOCKS FOR GIFTS

Despite the fact that smocks make the very best sort of apron for almost every conceivable occasion it is still difficult to get them in the shops. Made from gay Japanese print with white pique collar and raglan sleeves that button well about the wrist a smock will make an appreciated gift for the business girl who likes to cook dinner in her own little apartment.

DECORATIVE DEVICES

The season's decorative devices, while they are varied, still center largely in and about heads embroidered extensively on velvet grounds. For the popular metallic cloths delicate laces combine most effectively. Street dresses are in many instances self-trimmed, the trimming being put on in rolls. Dyed furs decorate the more formal dresses and also line certain of the evening wraps.

EAR RINGS

The closer style of hair dressing seems to be responsible for the present vogue for long ear rings, some of those for evening wear reaching almost to the shoulder. Crystal, steel and jade are used. Very large hoop ear rings are also worn.

WHITE IN VOGUE

White chiffon velvet is proving one of the loveliest of materials for the formal gown. Ornaments of rhinestone, crystal and jet are used with it, generally at the side.

GOOD MANNERS

Away on a visit, it is quite proper for a young woman to send a card or brief note to a man friend at home. It is the man who has gone away to whom she does not write until she has received a letter from him.

Legal Notices

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James H. Smith, of Lowell, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to the Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, dated May 1, 1874, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 102, Page 466, said mortgage deed having been assigned by the said Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, to Othello O. Greenwood and Marcella Greenwood, both of Lowell, by assignment dated Sept. 15, 1890, and recorded with the above mentioned registry of Deeds in Book 218, Page 390, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage deed, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Saturday, December 23, 1922, at nine o'clock in the morning, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, said premises being bounded and described as follows: A certain lot or parcel of land situated on the southerly side of Bassett street, so called, in said Lowell, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises at a stone bound in the southerly line of said Bassett street at other land of said James H. Smith; thence turning at a right angle and running southerly on land of said Smith and N. L. Bassett, 99.54 feet to a stake; thence easterly 47.63 feet to a stake at land of one Rogers; thence northerly on land of said Rogers 108.54 feet to a stake in the southerly line of Bassett street; thence westerly on the southerly line of said Bassett street thirty-four feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4167 square feet, more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to James H. Smith by Jesse N. Bassett by deed dated April 16, 1874, recorded in the above Registry in Book 101, Page 49.

Also a certain other parcel of land situated on the southerly side of said Bassett street and easterly side of Whipple street in said Lowell, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at the intersection of the southerly line of Bassett street with the easterly line of Whipple street, thence running easterly on the southerly line of Bassett street 103 feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running southerly fifty-four and 77-100 feet to a stake; thence running westerly about 110 feet to a stake which stands in the easterly line of Whipple street; thence, northerly on the easterly line of Whipple street 45 feet to the point of beginning; containing 5313 square feet, more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to James H. Smith by deed of Jesse N. Bassett, dated Nov. 15, 1877, and recorded in the above Registry in Book 97, Page 559. All of the above described premises will be sold subject to any and all outstanding mortgages and taxes due the City of Lowell.

Terms will be announced at the time and place of sale.

OTHELLO O. GREENWOOD,
One of the assignees of said mortgage deed.
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RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, catarrh, epilepsy.
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Employment

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GIRLS wanted for flat work ironer, Middlesex Laundry, Western ave.

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HOUSEKEEPER wanted. Six in family. Apply Joseph Duffie, No. Billerica, Fairview st. Tel. 172-4.

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SECURITY SALESMAN wanted to sell the stock of an old established Massachusetts corporation, with a consistent dividend record. Only experienced men with ability need apply. G-63, Sun Office.

REPAIRING EXPERT—Sewing machine repairing, all parts for all makes duplicated. Sewing machines to rent by the week or month. White Sewing Machine Co., 187 Appleton st.

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MONEY TO LOAN 60

Wanted To Buy

All kinds of OLD GOLD AND SILVER, watches and precious metals. Room 12, Strand Building, 116 Central St.

CASH WAITING for 2d and 3d mortgages. Reply P. O. Box 1057.

Live Stock

PETS 65

CANARIES for sale, guaranteed singers; also females, 160 Grand st.

Merchandise

ARTICLES FOR SALE 73

KITCHEN STOVE for sale, in good condition, cheap for quick sale. Tel. 4276-J, 16 Fisher st. Call after 6 p. m.

SEWING MACHINES, second hand, for sale. 1 good drophead Singer, $12. 187 Appleton st.

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CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS 79

BUTTERFLY TRAYS, plaques and crochet gifts; one serving tray given free. Prices 20c up; hours, 2 p. m. to 9 p. m. M. B. Morgan, 53 B st.

Merchandise

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PARTY FURNISHING ESTATE WOULD like to buy Old Fashioned Furniture: Chairs, tables, clocks, ship pictures, colored glass, very old silver, etc. H. Rubin, 279 Cambridge st, Boston, Mass.

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TYPEWRITERS—New, rebuilt and second hand machines of all leading makes at reasonable prices. Our rental charges by the month are moderate. Prince's Arcade, 108 Merrimack st. to 63 Middle st.

Rooms—Board

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ROOMS for rent by day or week 106 Worthen st.

LARGE ROOM to let, 156 White st., cor. Crawford, furnished or unfurnished, den, gas, electric lights, hot and cold water, heat, garage if desired. Rent reasonable.

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ROOM to let in private family. Apply at night, between 6 and 9, 100 Aiken ave.

ROOMS to let at 55 Gorham st. for light housekeeping; also rooms for single person, bath, hot and cold water, $1.50 per week up, 50c night.

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Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

5 ROOMS to let, bath, set tubs, at 14 Ames st. Apply 35½ High st. Tel. 3054-M.

6-ROOM COTTAGE on Andover st. near Wentworth ave. to let, newly repaired, electric lights, exclusive neighborhood. J. P. Killeen, 230 Fayette st.

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6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, modern improvements. Concord st. Tel. 70231. Inquire 82 Perry st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let on Madison st., near St. Peter's church. Inquire 506 Gorham st.

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6-ROOM HOUSE to let at 129 Shaw st. Inquire 259 Central st.

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Real Estate For Sale

HOUSES FOR SALE 101

2-TENEMENT HOUSE AND STORE on Broadway for sale, 6000 ft. land. Rents about $150 yearly. Price $3600. Tel. 6649.

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Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.20	6.40	7.30	8.10
6.23	7.26	8.00	7.08
6.33	7.38	7.35	8.29
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7.12	8.03	12.30	1.11
7.56	8.37	h1.05	2.08
9.01	9.43	2.30	3.41
10.05	11.05	4.00	4.42
11.17	12.00	4.05	5.24
12.07	1.01	5.00	5.42
1.50	2.38	h5.21	6.42
3.45	4.48	5.38	6.55
h3.30	4.12	6.50	7.17
4.00	4.45	6.14	7.21
4.12	5.25	8.00	8.41
5.38	6.40	8.30	9.11
b6.45	7.25	10.30	11.40
7.27	8.10	11.35	12.40
8.17	9.00		
9.55	10.43		

Portland Division

To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.52	7.35	z6.35	8.21
10.44	11.19	10.33	11.58
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7.12	8.26	5.14	6.18
10.20	11.33	6.55	8.15
		9.50	11.16

Sunday Trains
Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.20	4.45
3.55	4.48	8.10	8.45
5.25	7.10	8.45	9.50
8.55	10.06		

Sunday Trains
Southern Division

6.44	7.30	8.45	9.55
7.12	8.08	10.00	10.59
8.01	8.46	11.00	11.33
9.15	10.10	1.00	2.03
10.20	11.17	3.30	6.24
2.53	3.58	7.15	8.25
5.03	5.55	8.00	8.41
6.05	6.50	8.30	9.11
8.38	9.30	9.25	10.35
8.55	10.00	10.45	12.02
9.55	10.52		

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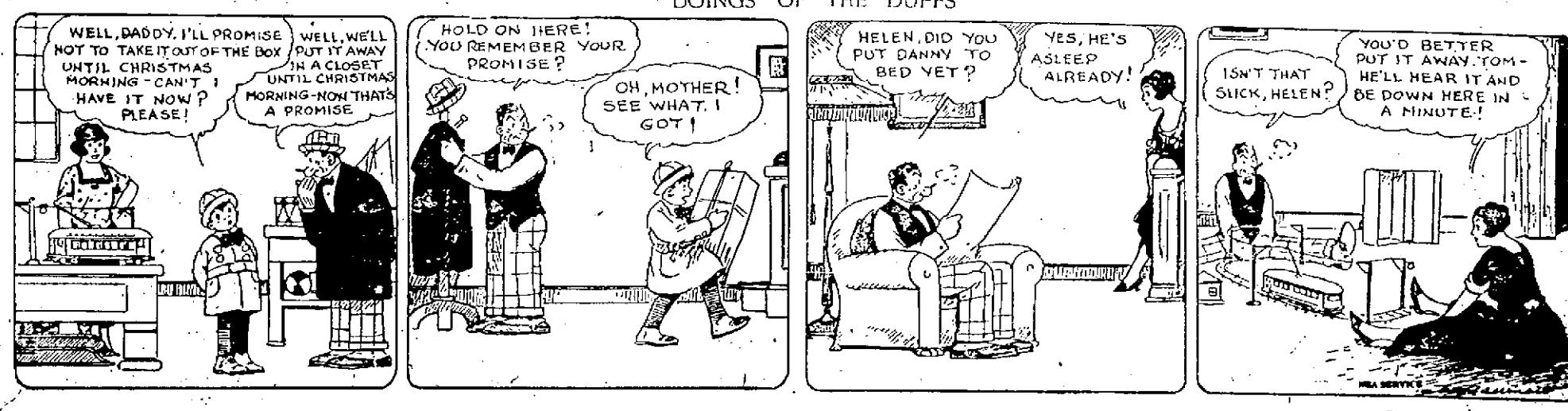
THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



SERGT. WILLIAM DICKEY

Well Known Civil War Veteran Celebrates His 80th Birthday Anniversary

Down the flame-swept Shenandoah valley with Sheridan in 1864 went Sergeant William L. Dickey with the boys of the fighting Thirtieth Maine, a coveted second lieutenancy the prize after the war ended with the famous surrender at the Appomattox apple tree.

Today Comrade Dickey of Post 120, G.A.R., commander-elect for the second time, held a reception ben at his attractive homestead at 10 Brickett avenue this afternoon and the reception will be continued from 7 to 10 o'clock this evening.

Preparations were made for the reception of many Lowell and out of town Grand Army men, members of the Woman's Relief corps, "sisters" of Comrade Dickey's goodly wife, and

SERGT. WILLIAM DICKEY

well known citizens who have known the Civil war veteran for many years and regard him highly as a substantial and patriotic member of the good fellowship fraternity.

The reason for the Dickey open house and reception this afternoon and evening is the coming of the soldier's 80th birthday. So far as known, Mr. Dickey has never forgotten other brothers who wear the bronze button when they celebrate birthdays, and has been a leader in similar functions and fraternal celebrations ever since he became affiliated with the Lowell Grand Army post. And so today his friends, old and new, are going to return the compliments with a few interesting ceremonials and other complimentary things necessary to make this birthday party a record-breaker in local Grand Army circles.

Comrade Dickey—re-elected commander of Post 10 but a few days ago and proud of the honor and confidence of his fellow comrades, was born Dec. 7, 1842, in Portland, Me. Until he became a resident of Lowell, he was attached to Lang Post No. 157, department of Maine, being the first commander of that organization. He was also a colonel in the Union Veterans' union. (He is a past commander of Post 120 and also of Admiral Farragut camp, S. of V.)

Comrade Dickey enlisted from Gray, Cumberland county, Maine, the first day of August, 1862, joining Company C, Twenty-fifth Regiment, Maine Volunteer Infantry, for nine months. He served faithfully with honor in all the campaigns in which his command engaged, being recommended for performance of meritorious service. He was honorably discharged at Portland, Me., on July 10, 1863, upon expiration of his service enlistment. His "vacation" lasted but a few days, for he was in this war to the finish, and on Aug. 3, the same year, enlisted for three years "or during the war," becoming first sergeant in Capt. Whitman Sawyer's crack Company B, Thirtieth Regiment Maine Volunteer Infantry.

The regiment fought hard almost continuously for weeks at a time, one battle lasting for 21 hours at Deep Bottom, for instance. Later the regiment was transported to Washington, marching from there to Harper's Ferry, Va.

Then the fighting Maine volunteers, with Comrade Dickey right up where all the action was likely to be lively, swung gleefully into line with the famous Army of the Shenandoah valley under General "Phil" Sheridan, and you probably know the rest. The boys in blue from old Maine, with Gen. "Phil" at the lead, simply wiped up the Shenandoah lowlands as the old flag breezed along ahead, never once hitting the ground, though many a color-bearer faltered and dropped under the hailstorms of rebel minie balls.

Comrade Dickey was appointed second lieutenant after that, and no one cracked any jokes about "second loots" in those days, Dickey would have you remember!

The Lowell veteran received his final (and honorable) discharge papers at Savannah, Ga., on Aug. 22, 1865, the great war having ended.

The veteran served as an employe of the city of Lowell for 25 years and was retired in December, 1920.

Besides the veteran's estimable wife there are three happy children who are to participate in today's birthday celebration—Mrs. Fred A. Lombard, Mrs. Gertrude L. Stouffer and William C. Dickey.

Dracut Grange—Tonight
PONTIAC CLUB
Dance and Cabaret
Brooks' Orchestra
Admission 35¢, Tax Included

BENEFIT DANCE
By Nelsonian Club
FRIDAY NIGHT
LINCOLN HALL
Clarke's Orch. Admission 35c

HELPING THE VETERANS

Chamber of Commerce President Attends Important Conference in Boston

President Edward Fisher of the chamber of commerce this afternoon attended an important meeting and conference held in room 436, state house, Boston, beginning at 2.15 o'clock with Governor Channing H. Cox presiding. Numerous other bodies of business men throughout the state, including other organizations active in many branches of welfare work for citizens at large as well as veterans of the great war, were represented at the conference.

The meeting was called by the governor "to determine the best and most satisfactory manner in which Massachusetts can aid the national government in assisting the men who returned to national life with physical disability after war service."

The gubernatorial message calling the citizens together read, in part:—

"The veterans who have been trained in various professions and lines of industry in schools and workshops since the instruction service was adopted, are now graduates, many of them with no place of employment to go to. It is to provide for these men who have been expert in some good profession, that we are called together today.

"These men who have had good training, but who were forced of course to work their way along to knowledge without pay, most of them, or very little pay at best, are now looking for work. We must do all we can to find work for them.

"The veterans who have been through the various courses assigned them, have done their work well and want regular employment. In a great many cases there is no work for them at any wage whatever where employers had taken them in to instruct and help them. This exhibition on the part of employers who had no use for the men as salaried employes, shows the trend of the times and the sacrifices that some men are willing to make to help the untrained war veterans and enable them to go out and find work where work may be had. Although some of the employers who took up the tasks of free training of these men, would be glad to place them on their payrolls if they had an opportunity, in very many cases there is no room at the present time for those who have been in training and have now successfully passed the final 'tests,' so to speak, and are ready for regular jobs.

"Most of these men have been rehabilitated i. e., declared by persons qualified to decide as trained to 'carry-on' capably in the new objective.

"More will be rehabilitated. They must be absorbed by industry, the professions, trades, agriculture, the arts and sciences. The government promised all of these men at the beginning of their training period that they would be provided with employment opportunities at the completion of their courses of instruction. This must be done; not as a charity, not in a spirit of paternalism. It is a governmental, fraternal, business, patriotic duty to aid in the return of these men in a gainful way into the economic life of the state. This service must be rendered industry, the government and the man."

CHRISTMAS SALE BY LADIES' SODALITIES

In keeping with the season of cheer and good will, the annual Christmas sale, under the auspices of the various ladies' sodalities of the Immaculate Conception church, is being held in the annex of the Immaculate Conception school, East Merrimack and High streets, this afternoon and evening, and will be continued Friday and Saturday. The school hall has been specially decorated for the sale and those who visit the place will, no doubt, marvel at its beauty. The usual articles, including linens, embroideries, fancy dolls, candies and foodstuffs, will be offered to the public and as in previous years, a generous patronage is expected. Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I., has direct charge of the affair and he is ably assisted by the following:

The committees in charge are as follows:

Holy Rosary table: Mrs. Arthur J. McQuaid, chairman; Mrs. Mary E. O'Donnell, Mrs. Mary Curran, Mrs. Fred Billingsley, Mrs. John McSorley, Mrs. Catharine Conlon, Mrs. James Richards, Mrs. Daniel P. Henry, Mrs. Bridget Johnston, Mrs. Jeremiah J. Dooley, Mrs. Della Gookin, Mrs. William Kennedy, Mrs. Walter Donohoe, Mrs. Francis McCartin, Mrs. John Lynn, Mrs. John Maloney, Mrs. Jeremiah Connors, Mrs. Michael Highland, Mrs. Martin Welch, Mrs. Patrick McDermott, Mrs. Edward McGovern, Mrs. Helen Lafferty, Mrs. William Hayes.

Immaculate Conception Sodality: Miss Bessie Nerney, chairman; Miss Mary Sullivan, Miss Mary Berrigan, Miss Mary Curtin, Miss Bridget Mescall, Miss Annie Powers, Miss Agnes Cavanaugh, Miss Catharine Sullivan, Miss Rose Morris, Miss Maria Keegan, Miss Marie Cahill, Miss Mary Halleran, Miss Mary McCartin, Miss Mary E. Dacey, Miss Catharine O'Connell.

Third Order of St. Francis' table: Mrs. Mary Collins, chairman; Mrs. Bernard Teague, Mrs. Mary Lyons, Mrs. Mary Blomberg, Mrs. Agnes Panton, Mrs. Annie Gill, Mrs. Bridget Reddy Miss Mary Tighe, Miss Katherine McDermott, Miss Annie Scanlon, Mrs. Maria Moloney, Miss Maria Cashley, Mrs. Mary Keelan, Miss Jennie Coyle.

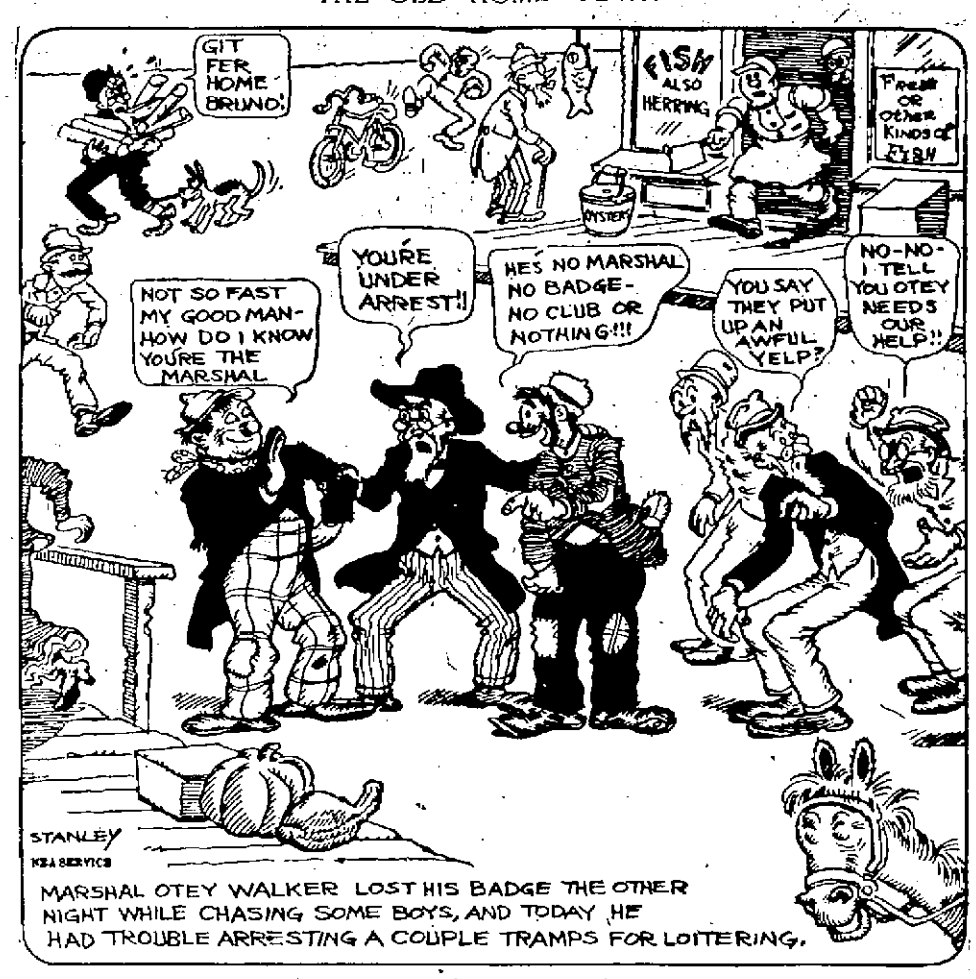
Children of Mary's table: Miss Christina O'Shea, chairman; Misses Esther Pollard, Frances McCartin, Mildred Colloty, Bridget O'Connell, Bridget Durkin, Marguerite Dolan, Grace Gearin, Dorothy Collins, Esther Armstrong, Helen Duggan, Jennie Cancannon, Mary Mellen, May Preston, Ruth Douglass, Alice Fitzgerald, Ruth Kennedy, Rose Welch, Mary Cassidy.

A cake sale will be held on Saturday in charge of Miss Mary Murphy, assisted by the Misses Alice Donohoe, Anna Kelley, Stella Drury, Elizabeth Kerwin, Margaret Gallagher, Katharine Dewire, Anna McCartin.

ACTION OF CONTRACT

An action of contract in the sum of $1000 brought by Undertaker Joseph Albert against Adelia and Frank Desrochers, went to trial before jurors and Justice Cox at the civil session of the superior court in this city this morning. In this case Mr. Albert is suing to recover the sum of $304.64, a balance alleged to be due on the funeral expenses of a brother of Mrs. Desrochers, Joseph Alexandre Provencher.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

Instructive Addresses at Meeting Under Auspices of Teachers' Organization

In a large study hall of the high school last night, an open meeting, under the auspices of the Teachers' organization of Lowell in co-operation with the chamber of commerce and Lowell Post, 57, American Legion, was held, and the large gathering of teachers and friends listened to instructive addresses on vocational guidance by Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of Lowell schools, Frederick J. Allen of the bureau of vocational guidance at Harvard university and president of the New England Vocational Guidance association, and William F. Linehan of the South Boston high school. Miss Caroline A. Downey, president of the Lowell Teachers' organization, announced that Miss Sara J. Ginn, director of vocational guidance in Boston, who was also scheduled to speak, could not be present on account of illness and sent her regrets.

After extending greetings to the assembly, Miss Downey introduced as the first speaker of the evening, Supt. Molloy, who spoke on "Educational Activities in Lowell." He called attention to the fact that a special "week" is now set aside by city and state authorities for individual and community improvement. We are familiar with fire prevention week, cancer week, clean up week and so on, but attention should be called to the fact that people are not taking sufficient interest in educational systems and activities, and, he added, "there is no greater measure of a city than its school systems."

Mr. Molloy then told of the great many improvements in educational methods by the state and city in recent years, and especially this city. He referred to the additions made in the junior high school buildings and the wonderful building which is called an addition to the high school. He also said the Memorial Auditorium, besides many other things, will serve as a center for educational work. The high school, junior high schools, elementary schools, including the grammar, primary and kindergarten, the vocational schools, continuation school and the university extension courses are all carrying on splendidly, he said, and are a credit to the city. The open-air classroom and the sight-saving class are also noteworthy improvements in our schools, while the evening school system has been placed on a basis which gives the pupils in those classes the benefit of teachers who have received the experience of teaching day classes in Lowell schools. The superintendent further stated that the New England states in general and the state of Massachusetts in particular need never be ashamed of the steps taken along educational lines.

Other Speakers

The second speaker was Mr. Frederick J. Allen, who chose as his topic, "The Second Rise and Progress of Educational Guidance," saying that this is a new line of work in educational circles, but a most important one. He advised the formation of a vocational bureau to work in conjunction with the school department for the purpose of directing pupils toward those occupations to which they seem best fitted and in which they are most likely to succeed. Although there has been a large amount of criticism of the work, said Mr. Allen, the idea is a good one and the work became necessary owing to the fact that the difficulty of selecting an occupation in these days has greatly increased and there are so many and so varied occupations and professions to choose from, that the school boy or girl, if left to his or her own discretion, knows not which one to select for his life work. The bureau of educational guidance, explained the speaker, was formed then, for the purpose of assisting the pupil to make the proper choice.

Mr. William F. Linehan was the final speaker and he also favored vocational guidance, emphasizing the fact that life has a spiritual as well as a material significance. To help the struggling pupil as much as possible, Mr. Linehan advised oral discussions in the class room on various occupations in the English classes, and thus familiarize the student with from ten to a dozen occupations.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's Associate bldg. Entering the best—Lydon. Tel. 4934.

$12 Atric heaters for $9, while they last. Electric shop, 52 Central st.

P. A. Hayes and R. J. Lavelle, lawyers, 401 Appleton Bank Bldg.

J. F. Donohoe, 222-223 Hildreth Bldg, real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Medium brown hair looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo.—Adv.

The regular meeting of the Sam Walter Foss Literary club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Cornell, 21 Blossom street. The topic for the afternoon was "The Makers of American Honor."

Rev. John Callan of St. Anne's church will be the speaker at tonight's get-together at the Red Triangle village in the Y.M.C.A.

Clerks and department heads at city hall joined today in a welcome to Miss Katherine W. Snow, board of health registrar, who has returned to her work after a long illness. That she has fully recovered is indeed good news for her many friends.

TONIGHT
The Hit of the Season
Dance of the Lowell Malta Club
LINCOLN HALL
Broderick's Orchestra
Drawing Contest Will Take Place Tonight
Admission.....35¢, Tax Paid

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MERRIMACK RIVER SAVINGS BANK	228 Central St.
WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION	30 Middlesex St.

POSITIONS ON BALLOT

George H. Brown Draws Top Position—Gallagher Heads Councilor List

As result of drawing for positions on the city election ballot last night, the name of George H. Brown will precede that of John J. Donovan in the mayoralty bracket and James J. Gallagher will head the 12 nominees for councilor-at-large.

In the three school committee groups, John H. Preston, Thomas B. Delaney and Alice F. D. Pearson, respectively, drew first position for the one, two and three year terms.

The complete draw, including ward councilor contests, follows:

MAYOR
George H. Brown
John J. Donovan

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (1 Year Term)
John H. Preston
Emma Y. Slaughter
Francis J. Donahue
J. Eugene Mullin

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (2 Year Term)
Thomas B. Delaney
Arthur L. Eno
James C. Warner
James H. Riley

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Year Term)
Alice F. D. Pearson
Annie D. Donovan
Patrick J. Meehan
James J. Bruin

COUNCILOR-AT-LARGE
James J. Gallagher
Smith J. Adams
Louis J. Lord
Daniel Cosgrove
Frank A. Warnock
James F. Hennessey
Thomas Lees
John W. Daly
Peter F. McMenimen
John A. Weinbeck
John J. McPadden
Maurice J. Lambert

WARD 1
Frank W. Stearns
Frank J. Hubin

WARD 2
John J. Queenan
Eugene A. Fitzgerald

WARD 3
George R. Bell
Donald M. Cameron

WARD 4
Frederick A. Sadlier
William P. McLaughlin

WARD 5
John F. Gookin
Daniel F. Moriarty

WARD 6
Robert J. Laird
Joseph A. N. Chretien

WARD 7
Arthur Genest
David B. Kinghorn

WARD 8
Orrin B. Ranlett, 2nd
Arthur B. Chadwick

WARD 9
Richard C. Campbell
Thomas McFadden

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ANNUAL LADIES' NIGHT

Brilliant Social Event at Auditorium by William North Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

Taking its place at the very forefront of the season's social events, William North Lodge, A.F. and A.M. held its annual ladies' night entertainment at the Memorial Auditorium last evening. For sheer beauty and brilliancy, with hundreds of attractively gowned women and men in full evening dress in attendance, the affair has not been equalled in Lowell society for years.

Not only was the main Auditorium used, but Liberty hall was transformed into a most delightful rest and conversation room, where a buffet luncheon was served continuously from 8.30 until 12 o'clock.

The event was the first of its kind to be held outside of Masonic Temple and the beautiful Auditorium again proved its splendid adaptability for dances on a large scale and social functions where opportunities to move about and promenade without crowding are so necessary to their complete success.

It is difficult to imagine an affair more enjoyable and socially informal despite the formality of dress. The gowns of the women were magnificent and portrayed rare evidences of the costumer's art. There were exotic creations of chiffon velvet, satin back canton crepe and gold and silver cloth combined with tulle and a preponderance of orchid, midnight blue, tangerine and flame colorings so popular this season. Looking down upon the main floor from the balcony one was instantly impressed with the beauty of the scene.

An excellent entertainment was provided, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock and was delightful throughout. The program was given by White's revue from Boston, with the following artists: Miss Janet Hersey, reader and dancer; Miss Josephine Covell, soprano; Miss Rose Leverone, mezzo-soprano; Miss Helen Cowell, violinist and Miss Retta Wilson, pianist. There were many costume changes and the entertainers proved most versatile.

General dancing began at 10 o'clock and continued until 1 a. m. Music was provided by Campbell's orchestra.

Liberty hall was used only as a serving room and was most attractive in appearance. Huge silver candelabra, with clusters of red candles, were placed in the middle of a large table in the centre of the hall. Artistically arranged poinsettia and green boughs portrayed the Christmas season. The collation served consisted of raw oysters from ice block, chicken and lobster salads, chicken a la King in pastry shells, rolls, sweetbread patties, braised ham, with champagne sauce, cold salmon with mayonnaise, assorted fancy creams, frozen pudding, sultana roll, cakes, coffee, candies and salted nuts.

The officers of the lodge who had the entire affair in charge are: F. Leon Gago worshipful master; Harold D. MacDonald, senior warden; Herbert W. Horne, junior warden; Cornelius S. Livingston, treasurer; Charles B. Frederic, secretary; Arthur R. G. Booth, marshal; Paul L. Perkins, senior deacon; Arthur Bartlett, junior deacon, John W. Fraser, senior steward; Ora W. Hardy, junior steward; Lester H. Cushing, inside sentinel.

WALTER E. GUYETTE.....Auctioneer

Office, 53 Central St., Lowell, Mass. Telephone 2415.

THE TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE AND STORE AND ABOUT THIRTY-SEVEN HUNDRED SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 48 WEST ADAMS STREET, LOWELL, MASS., IS HEREBY PLEDGED TO THE HIGHEST BONA FIDE BIDDERS AT UNRESTRICTED PUBLIC SALE ON NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1922, AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M.

The premises consist of a full two and one-half story, dwelling containing two tenements and store. The tenements have four rooms to each with toilet and gas. There are parlor, living room, dining room and kitchen on the one floor in the upper flat, and the same plan besides pantry and shed and electric lights in the lower tenement. The store fronts on the street and is conducted as a grocery and variety store, is electrically lighted and has separate toilets and city water. The building is in very good order and is fully rented. The tenements paying fifteen and sixteen dollars each, respectively, and the store yielding sixteen dollars monthly, making a total rental of forty-seven dollars per month, or five hundred and sixty-four dollars per year. The cellar is high posted and divided for each tenant. The building is supplied with front and side entrances and has a large open attic on the third story. The lot has a total area of thirty-seven hundred square feet of land with an unusual frontage on West Adams Street of fifty feet, and the building, located in a corner of the lot, gives a considerable open area for yard room. The location is most convenient and the neighborhood is comprised of homes and business establishments. The property is within a step of the new plant of the National Biscuit Company, the Lyon Carpet Company, the Saco-Lowell Foundry (formerly Pevey's Foundry) the Bay State Cotton Corp. and the plant formerly occupied by the Lamson Co., and within comfortable walking distance of many other manufacturing industries, and also being within easy walking distance of both the Broadway line of electrics and the Middlesex Street-North Chelmsford line. There are many attractive and high grade residences within a short step of these premises, thus making the property unusually attractive as a location so convenient to industry and yet essentially in a home locality. The sale of the above premises is a most unusual opportunity, as the premises being of two tenements, affords the owner a chance to occupy one of the flats and receive sufficient income of both the store and other tenement to pay the carrying charges of the entire property; and again, the owner, if he so chooses, could conduct the store business, live in one flat, and have a substantial income from the other. The sale of the premises should directly appeal not only to the home seeker, but to the investor as well, as the premises, being entirely occupied and the store having an established business for a considerable period, assures the owner of steady and continued rental. Terms: $400.00 must be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms to be made at the sale.

By order of JAMES J. STEPHENS.

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Higgins' All Star Orchestra——A. O. H. Hall
EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT AND HOLIDAYS
Admission .....35¢, Tax Paid

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ST. ANNE'S PARISH HOUSE, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7
St. Anne's First Team vs. Sharf's Nobles
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Dancing Will Follow——Marshall's Orchestra——Subscription 35c

—— LADIES' NIGHT ——
BY THE WOODBINE SOCIAL CLUB, INC.
TONIGHT —— ASSOCIATE HALL
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Dance Tonight
BEST FLOOR IN CITY
Bay State Dancing School, 265 Dutton Street
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THE WEATHER

Snow, followed by rain late tonight and Friday; rising temperature.

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7 O'CLOCK

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$465,000 Verdict In Woodhouse Alienation Suit

Lowell Men Arrested For Arson

Lowell Man Admits Part In Detroit Murder

MRS. DORRIT S. WOODHOUSE WINS SUIT AGAINST PARENTS-AT-LAW

Jury Returns Verdict of $465,000 For Plaintiff After Being Out 40 Hours—Award Largest Ever Given in An Alienation Suit in Vermont and Possibly in New England

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 7.—An award of $465,000 was made today by the jury which for more than 40 hours deliberated over the million dollar claim of Mrs. Dorrit Stevens Woodhouse against her wealthy parents-at-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo E. Woodhouse of New York and this city, for the alienation of the affections of her husband, Douglas Woodhouse. The case had consumed five weeks in hearing.

Of the $465,000 damages awarded, the jury directed that $400,000 be considered actual damages and $65,000 as a punitive and exemplary damage award.

A small crowd only was in the

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HOMER NOEL OF LOWELL SAID TO HAVE CONFESSED PART IN MURDER AND OTHER CRIMES IN DETROIT

DETROIT, Dec. 7.—A long list of crimes, most of them connected with illicit liquor operations and including the slaying of a farmer for which another youth is serving a life sentence were admitted today, police announced, by two men held in the county jail here. Homer Noel, of Lowell, Mass., and Melvin Brown of Battle Creek, confessed, officers said, that they were two of the gang which killed Alex Dombrowski, a farmer in the down river district, last January 24, when they stormed his house representing themselves as prohibition enforcement agents. Leo Sauerman of Detroit, serving a life term at Marquette, in connection with the killing was not in the gang, they were quoted as saying.

BOMB HURLED AT MILITARY CAR

Two Men and Two Women Wounded When Powerful Missile Exploded

Two Deputies on Way to Parliament Session in Dublin Shot—One Killed

CORK, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—A powerful bomb

TIMOTHY HEALY, Governor-General of Free State

was thrown at a military car this afternoon. This missile did not reach its mark, but exploded near-by, wounding two men and two women. The bomb thrower escaped.

Ulster to "Contract Out"

BELFAST, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—Both houses of the Ulster parliament voted unanimously today to "contract out" of the Irish Free State, as permitted under the Anglo-Irish treaty.

Premier Sir James Craig stated in the house of commons that Ulster would not appoint a representative to the proposed commis-

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FOR RHENISH REPUBLIC

Separatists Active — French to Stay a "Whole Generation" in Mayence

BERLIN, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—The Cologne correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt in a despatch today says certain preparations the French have been making in the Mayence sector indicate that they intend to stay not only the allotted 15 years under the peace treaty, but "a whole generation." He adds that the worst experience for Germany in connection with the manner of evacuation would be the withdrawal of the English troops from Cologne and the Americans from Coblenz, not for the purpose of freeing these zones, but to turn them over to the French.

The separatists have increased their activity and now plan to proclaim a Rhenish republic in the course of five or six weeks, while their newspapers already are announcing the buying power of the new Rhenish franc may be expected to have.

To The Public:

Out of respect for the founder of this company

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We Will Close Our Store

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

RANLETT GROCERY CO.

Proprietors of Depot Cash Markets Arrested When Grand Jury Returns Indictments on Counts of Arson

Arrests the Result of Investigations of Fires That Burned Simultaneously in Bridge Street and Kearney Square Stores on Night of Nov. 14—Bail Was Placed at $2000 Each and is Furnished—Must Appear in Superior Court Tomorrow

Max, Jacob and Philip Bogdonoff, local men who own four stores which do business under the name of the Depot Cash Markets, have been secretly indicted by the Middlesex county grand jury on four counts of arson. Max and Jacob were arrested this morning and Philip was taken into custody early this afternoon.

Bail was set at $2000 each and was furnished at local police headquarters this afternoon. The three men will appear before the superior court in East Cambridge tomorrow to answer to the charges brought against them.

The indictments and arrests are the result of fires in their two Bridge street stores, which occurred on the night of Nov. 14, at almost the same time. It will be remembered that shortly before 8 o'clock the fire department was called to combat a blaze which started in the cellar of the Depot Cash market located at 370 Bridge street. While firemen were fighting that blaze, an alarm was turned in for a fire in the market owned by them in Kearney square. This fire also started in the cellar, according to Chief Edward F. Saunders. The Centralville fire was the least damaging of the two, the loss being estimated at a few hundred dollars. The loss at the Kearney Square market was total and amounts to about $15,000.

Following the fires Chief Saunders made a report to the fire marshal's office in Boston and Everett W. Shumway was sent here to investigate.

Captain David Petrie, head of the criminal investigating bureau of the local police began an immediate investigation of the entire matter. A preliminary hearing was held at which several witnesses were summoned to appear before Capt. Petrie, Chief Saunders and Inspector Shumway. As the result of that hearing Captain Petrie decided to place the facts before the grand jury.

While 10 witnesses were summoned to appear before the grand jury it is said that only five of them were heard.

This morning Inspector Shumway came here with the grand jury's findings. Warrants were obtained for the three men and Capt. Petrie, assisted by Inspector Shumway, Lieut. Ryan and Sergt. McCloughrey went to work on the case.

MRS. JOHN JACOB ROGERS

Lowell Woman on Tour of Hospital Inspection as President's Representative

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Mrs. John Jacob Rogers of Lowell, wife of Congressman Rogers, left last night for the Pacific coast and other far west points as personal representative of President Harding to investigate existing conditions in soldiers' hospitals in that section of the country. Mrs. Rogers was asked by the president

MRS. JOHN JACOB ROGERS

last spring to conduct such an investigation in the south and west, which she did to his great gratification.

Mrs. Rogers will be absent about six weeks on this trip and the president looks upon her as "his eyes and ears" and trusted personal representative in inspecting hospitals where soldiers are housed. Mrs. Rogers has temporarily laid aside her arduous work at the Walter Reed Military hospital here to do this later bidding of the president.

RICHARDS.

NEW YORK CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Exchanges $640,000,000; balances, $71,000,000.

IMPORTANT TAX CASE

Court Rules Against Abatement Asked For by G. Thorndike Trull

Of particular importance to the Lowell board of assessors and tax officials of Massachusetts as it relates to the establishment of a precedent, is the finding handed down today by Judge Sisk of the superior court in the case of G. Thorndike Trull against the City of Lowell, a petition for the abatement of taxes, in which he holds that

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WILL FLOOD SHEDD AND WASHINGTON PARKS

Shedd park, Washington park, and the new Highland park in Stevens street will be flooded tonight for skating, according to a statement given out today by John W. Kernan, park superintendent.

Robert Gardner, superintendent of water works, said water would be available, but insists his department should receive some financial return.

Superintendent Kernan stated the parks have been ready to flood for several days, but claims he has not been able to get a definite answer from the water department head until today.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

1923

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25c, 50c, $1.00, $2.00, $5.00, $10.00, $20.00

WEEKLY

Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co.

Merrimack at Palmer Sts.

HUNT FOR MURDERESS

Home of "Goldtooth" Johnson Objective of Posse Searching for Mrs. Phillips

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—The home of Ed T. ("Goldtooth") Johnson, promoter of a new resort at Tijuana, Lower California, was the objective today of the posse headed by Sheriff Treager which left Los Angeles last night in search of Mrs. Clara Phillips, "hammer murderess" who broke jail Tuesday while under a 10 years' sen-

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CHECKS FOR OUR 1922 Christmas Club

Will be mailed Dec. 15. Final payment is due this week.

1923 Christmas Club

Is now open for subscribers.

JOIN EARLY

MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK (INC. 1861) IN LOWELL

$5000 VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF IN THE TWOMBLY CASE

Jury Finds For Elmer E. Perrigo in His Suit Against Billerica Man Whom He Charged With Alienating His Wife's Affections

Edgar F. Twombly, former superintendent of streets in Billerica and a retired contractor, was today found guilty of alienating the affections of Elmer E. Perrigo's wife and a verdict of $5000 brought in against him by a superior court jury which has been hearing the case for nearly two weeks.

The suit was brought in two counts. The first charged a statutory offence and the second count alleged enticing. The jury had been instructed by the court that if it found for the plaintiff on the first count it was to disregard the second count, and it was on the first count that the jury found.

The trial, which has taken up more than two weeks, has been followed closely by a number of Billerica people who knew the principals in the case. While the actual evidence was completed Tuesday the case did not go to the jury until yesterday afternoon. The morning session was given over to arguments by counsel. Judge Cox consumed one hour and 50 minutes in making his charge to the jury. The jury then retired shortly after 3 o'clock and as the court adjourned until today it was necessary to bring in a sealed verdict.

VERY UNUSUAL TITLE INCLUDED IN PURCHASE OF LAND BY PATRICK COGGER

One of the most interesting and unusual land titles ever passed in Lowell is included in the sale, completed today, of a tract of land of 15 acres, by Joseph Bowers of Middlesex Village to Patrick Cogger.

The land thus transferred is part of the old Bowers farm that has frontage on Middlesex, Princeton, Wood and Westford streets and has come down through the years from about 1680 to become the property of the present owner, Joseph Bowers—now in his 80th year—without a specific deed setting forth its bounds. Also it is the first parcel of the property to go outside the limits of the Bowers family, members of which have held it in direct descendency from the time it was a grant of the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

Originally the land was the property of Jerathmeel Bowers, who settled upon it about 1650 and at that time it was in the township of Chelmsford. In succession, upon the death of each owner, it passed from Jerathmeel to his son, Jonathan, from Jonathan to his son, William; from William to his son Joseph, from Joseph to his son, Sewall and from Sewall to his son, Joseph, the present owner, who has two sons, J. Walter and Jesse, both of whom have added another generation to the family.

In the opinion of James C. Warner, conveyancer, who handled the transaction for Mr. Cogger, it is one of the most unusual titles ever passed locally. In his researches in connection with the case, he came across most interesting historical data, particularly in the estate of Jonathan, son of Jerathmeel, who, when he died in 1756, owned one negro girl, Lydia by name, appraised at 100 pounds.

BOYS WHO KILLED DOG IN CHELMSFORD ALLEGED TO HAVE FIRED SHOT AT YOUNG WOMAN

Frank J. Welch of this city, a 20-year-old youth, faced Judge John J. Pickman in district court this morning and pleaded guilty to an assault with a gun. He was held in $500 until tomorrow. The alleged assault was committed yesterday afternoon in Chelmsford about midway between North Chelmsford and Chelmsford Centre in a farmhouse district near McLarney's square.

According to the story told by Officer Fred F. Vinal of the Chelmsford police, he and Officer James F. Gookin were called to the scene of the alleged assault by Goldie G. Kirkeby, who claims that Welch fired a shot from a gun in her general direction as she was passing by a farmhouse.

When the officers arrived at an old,

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NO B.C.-H.C. BREAK

WORCESTER, Dec. 7.—Rev. James A. Mullen, moderator of athletics at Holy Cross college, when asked this morning if any official action was to be taken by Holy Cross regarding football relations with Boston college said any talk of a break in relations between the Jesuits institutions was untrue. "I have never heard even the slightest suggestion along this line," he declared.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

"Beware of the little expenses—A small leak will sink a great ship."—Franklin.

JOIN NOW

CHRISTMAS CLUB

AT THE

Lowell Institution for Savings

18 Shattuck St.

FOREIGN SERVICE COST

Will Be Less Than $4,000,000 for Fiscal Year, Says Secretary Hughes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The net cost of the foreign service of the United States for the coming fiscal year was placed at "substantially less than $4,000,000" by Secretary Hughes in explaining the state department's estimates to the house sub-committee on appropriations.

A transcript of the committee hearing made public today showed the total asked for by the department was $15,202,237, but Mr. Hughes pointed out that $5,000,000 of this was for payment under treaty to Colombia and $250,000 for the annual payment to Panama, leaving less than $10,000,000 against which were to be compared

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MRS. ROHRER SEEKS DIVORCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Mrs. William L. Rohrer, widow of the late Jake Hamon, who was killed by Clara Smith Hamon in Ardmore, Okla., yesterday filed suit for divorce from William Rohrer, investment banker, to whom she was married less than a year ago. She charged Rohrer with cruelty.

SLIGHT EARTH SHOCK

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—A slight earth shock which lasted five seconds was felt here last night.

The Bon Marché

SILK SHOP

Street Floor

Silks that suggest interesting Christmas gifts. The woman who is clever with her needle never hesitates about her Christmas list. These moderately priced silks offer excellent ideas for presents that will be appreciated.

Quality Merchandise Moderately Priced

ALL SILK BROADCLOTH—In white, especially adapted for men's fine shirts and women's blouses, 33 inches wide, **$1.98 Yard**

IMPORTED NATURAL JAPANESE PONGEE—33 inches wide, makes dainty underwear, handkerchiefs, shirts and draperies, will launder perfectly .....**$1.39 Yard**

DAINTY MAID SILK—For underwear, children's party dresses, coverings for puffs, a fine silk and cotton fabric, in plain colors, also dainty designs in pink, blue, gold and orchid, 36 inches wide, **89¢ Yard**

CORDUROY VELVET—33 inches wide, suitable for bathrobes, lounging robes and kimonos, 18 of the latest shades, **98¢ Yard**

FINE TUBULAR JERSEY SILK—36 inches wide, in plain and dropstitch weaves, for underwear, in pink, white and orchid .....**$1.25 Yard**

CHANGEABLE TAFFETA—36 inches wide, in a big color assortment, suitable for afternoon, evening and dance frocks .....**$1.69 Yard**

CHENEY'S SILKS—36 inches wide, firm, heavy quality, with pretty floral and butterfly designs, all silk..**$2.49 Yard**

FIBRE SILK TRICOLETTE FOR SCARFS—36 inches wide; colors, tangerine, honeydew, poppy, henna, Dutch blue and navy, **$1.75 Yard**

COTTON FABRICS

FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Mothers and children alike will be overjoyed with a dress pattern for their spring clothes. Ginghams, Percales, Voiles, Dimities and Crepes. Boxes if you wish for them, free of charge.

PERCALES—Extra fine count, 36 inches wide, for aprons, house dresses, in light and dark colors, **19¢ and 25¢ Yard**

FINE DRESS GINGHAMS—Peter Pan and Anderson fine ginghams, in checks, plaids and fine stripes, choice styles, warranted fast colors, **69¢ and 79¢ Yard**

PRINTED DIMITIES AND LINONS—Rosebud designs, also dotted, in light and dark colors, an extra fine quality, 36 inches wide .....**49¢ Yard**

COLORED JAP CREPES—30 inches wide, in all colors, for luncheon sets, children's dresses, fancy work, etc., **39¢ Yard**

NEW VOILES—Many new and choice designs, in figures, also stripes and plaids, light and dark colorings, for blouses and dresses, **59¢, 79¢, 98¢ Yard**

FINE MERCERIZED NAINSOOK—40 inches wide, extra fine, silky finish, for dainty underwear and children's dresses, comes in a nice box, 10-Yard Pieces.....**$3.90**

Street Floor

WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S

KNIT UNDERWEAR

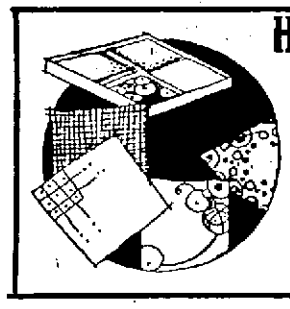
WOMEN'S UNION SUITS—Fine ribbed cotton, medium weight, **$2 and $2.25 Suit**

Women's Union Suits — Fine ribbed silk and wool, **$3 to $3.75 Suit**

Women's Union Suits — Fine ribbed, part wool, in different styles; regular prices $3 and $3.50, **$2.50 and $3 Suit**

Women's Vests—Fine ribbed cotton, medium weight, sleeveless, sizes 30 to 44. Very Special, each..... **75c**

BOYS' UNION SUITS—Ribbed grey wool—
Sizes 4 to 10 years...**$1.65**
Sizes 10 to 16 years...**$2.25**



HANDKERCHIEF SHOP

MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S

Street Floor

Handkerchiefs for Everybody

Gay bordered handkerchiefs, white ones, come cleverly embroidered—this colorful array offers a gift suggestion for all. If you're thinking of a tiny gift for a new acquaintance or an old one, our pretty "Hankies" will serve the purpose well.

The Bon Marché
DRY GOODS CO.

Shop Early

STORE OPENS 8.45.—SATURDAY 9 A. M.

GIFT SHOP

Third Floor

In our gift shop we have the best and most desirable gift things that are made in this country as well as the beautiful and unusual from England, Holland, France, India, China, Japan, etc.

Take a stroll through this interesting shop.

FUR COATS AT SPECIAL PRICES

Twenty-Five Fur Coats

— SECOND FLOOR —

Raccoon, Seal MUSKRAT DYED Jap Mink and Black Muskrat

EVERY COAT GUARANTEED FOR ONE YEAR

These coats are at August prices. We have not advanced them although they are worth 25% more in today's market and we cannot get as good selected skins as are in these coats

NEAL SEAL COATS

Plain and skunk trimmed.

$189.50

Worth Today **$250.00**

RACCOON COATS

$149, $198, $210

Worth Today **$200.00** to **$275.00**

HUDSON SEAL COATS

(Dyed Muskrat)

$298

Worth Today **$350.00**

Coats and Wraps--Fur Trimmed

MARVELLA, GERONA, FASHONA, LUSTROSA, MONTREY AND BOLIVIA. Trimmed with beautiful BEAVER, SQUIRREL, PLATINUM WOLF and CARACAL.

$57.50, $65.00, $75.00, $85.00, $98.50 $125.00, $139.50 and $149.50

We have made special efforts to select the most beautiful coats—the best materials—the best custom tailoring and the best linings. OVER ONE HUNDRED VALUES FOR DECEMBER SELLING.

— SECOND FLOOR —

POIRET TWILL DRESSES

We have reduced for this week-end's selling, one hundred Poiret Twill and Twill Cord Dresses. Misses' and women's sizes.

All Better Tailored Dresses

$15.00, $19.50, $25.00, $29.50, $35.00, $39.50

These are all better quality, better made dresses than you can find elsewhere at these prices. The regular prices were $10.00 to $20.00 higher. Come early for the values are as good as the big sale we had last week.

— SECOND FLOOR —

Fur Trimmed Wraps and Coats

Delisia, Normandy and Stevens Bolivia Coats, all silk lined, with Manchurian Wolf collars.

$39.50

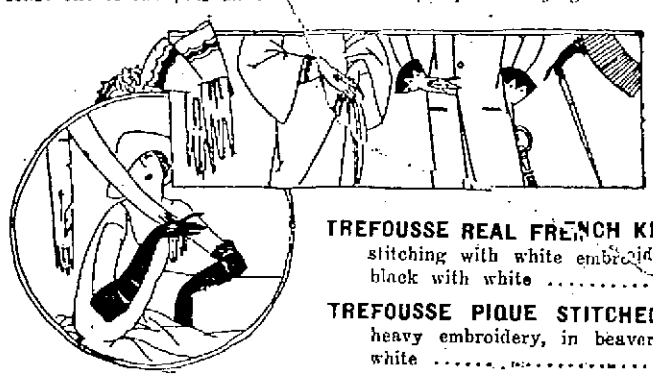
Well made, good fitting, smart, youthful styles. Coats made to sell for $49.50. About 50 in the lot.

Second Floor

WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S GLOVE SHOP

STREET FLOOR

MOST EVERY WOMAN PUTS GLOVES ON HER CHRISTMAS LIST—And she does it with a deep, down hope that her wish will come true, for she definitely plans on finding at least one or two pair under the tree and postpones buying for herself accordingly.



TREFOUSSE REAL FRENCH KID GLOVES—2-clasp, in mode, gray, beaver, white and black with white stitching..... **$2.15 Pair**

TREFOUSSE REAL FRENCH KID GLOVES—1-clasp with pique stitching with white embroidery, in brown, gray, white and black with white ..... **$3.00 Pair**

TREFOUSSE PIQUE STITCHED GLOVES—Pearl clasp with heavy embroidery, in beaver, brown, gray and black with white ..... **$3.75 Pair**

French Suede Gloves—With strap wrist, in pearl gray with white embroidery and white cuffs. Beaver with brown embroidery with brown cuffs. Brown with beaver embroidery and beaver cuffs, **$5.50 Pr.**

Gauntlet Gloves—In beaver and brown, black, with heavy embroidery, **$4.50 and $5.50 Pair**

Gantlet Gloves—In beaver and brown, **$3.75 and $4.00 Pair**

Trefousse Gloves—16-button, real French kid, in white ..... **$6.75 Pair**

Trefousse Gloves—12-button, real French pique gloves with heavy embroidered backs, in white, black, brown and black with white..... **$6.00 Pair**

Strap Wrist Mocha Gloves—In gray, beaver and brown.... **$3.50 and $5.50 Pair**

Mocha Gloves—1-clasp, knit wool lined, **$5.00 Pair**

Women's and Children's Hosiery Shop

STREET FLOOR

SPECIAL HOSIERY OPPORTUNITIES SUGGEST THAT YOU GIVE IT AS GIFTS—The attractive designs of the past seasons have made Hosiery such a popular Christmas gift that we are glad to announce very special values for those who plan to give this year. **RIGHT QUALITY HOSIERY IS HERE AT RIGHT PRICES.**

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE
Full fashioned, in black,
$1.50 to $4.50 Pair

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE
Full fashioned, in colors.
$1.50 to $3.50 Pair

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE—Silk embroidered front, also side clocks and lace inserts, **all full fashioned, $2.50 to $6.00 Pair**

WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE—In silk and wool, full fashioned, plain and some embroidered..... **$2.25 to $3.50 Pair**

WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE—Full fashioned..... **$2.50, $3, $4 Pair**

WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE—Fine wool and silk and wool..... **$1.25 to $2.50 Pair**

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE—Full fashioned, **50¢, 75¢ and $1.00 Pair**

WOMEN'S HOSE—Mercerized lisle, full fashioned..... **75¢, $1.00, $1.25 Pair**

CHILDREN'S SPORT HOSE—Ribbed, **85¢, $1.00, $1.15 Pair**

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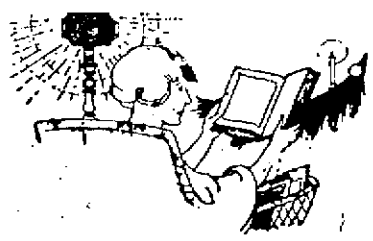

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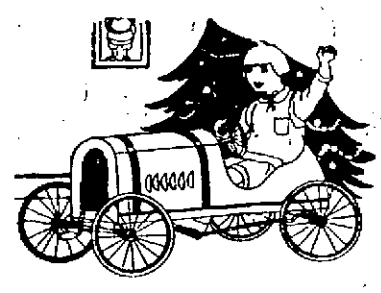

FIERCE FIGHT IN COUNTY CORK

200 Irregulars Seize Barracks at Ballymakeers, Near Macroom—One Killed

Attack Took Place at Same Time That Free State Deputies Were Taking Oath

CORK, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) Two hundred rebels captured the barracks at Ballymakeers, near Macroom, yesterday, killing one man and wounding 15. The attack took place at almost the same time that the deputies of the new Irish Free State were being sworn in at Dublin.

The rebels took 30 prisoners, including Commandant Mooney, after a fight lasting several hours, but released them after taking all their equipment.

The fight was the fiercest yet reported in County Cork. Before advancing on the barracks, the irregulars captured an armored car at Bandon, which they used, together with 20 machine guns and bombs in their attack on the troops defending the village.

The Free State Military was eventually outnumbered and was forced to surrender. The irregulars appropriated all the arms and ammunition in sight and then marched their prisoners into the mountains. Inasmuch as the men captured have since reported for duty, it is believed that the rebels found difficulty in detaining such a large number in the sparsely populated mountain districts.

Ballymakeers is now occupied by the Nationals.

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Say Betsy Ross
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Bomb Hurled at Military Car

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sion to fix the boundary between Ulster and the Free State, nor would she be interested in the commission in any way.

Two Deputies Shot

DUBLIN, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—President Cosgrave announced to the parliament this afternoon, that Deputy Sean Hales had been shot and killed and Deputy Patrick O'Maille, who was deputy speaker, had been wounded while they were on their way to the parliament session. The two victims of the shooting, were on a jaunting car proceeding along the quays when they were attacked with revolvers.

Deputy Speaker O'Maille's wound is serious.

After President Cosgrave's announcement, Minister of Defense Mulcahy rose and said: "These men did not have a priest, nor were they asked if they would see their relatives."

All the members of the parliament rose as a mark of sympathy.

O'Maille was elected deputy speaker by the Dail, or lower house of the Free State parliament at yesterday's session, when the members took the oath of allegiance.

Hales was returned from South Cork in the last parliamentary elections.

King May Go to Dublin

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) The suggestion that King George may go to Dublin to open formally the new Irish parliament, as advanced by the Liverpool Courier, seems based partly on surmise and partly on rumors.

Although the possibility of the king's presence has taken no definite shape, it is safe to say that if Ireland intimated such a visit would be welcome, the sovereign would acquiesce. It is regarded as quite unlikely, however, that his majesty would take the initiative in the matter.

According to a Dublin report, King George sent a remarkable message to Timothy Healy, the new governor-general, to which Healy is said to have replied. These messages, the report said, will probably be first given to the public by the governor-general in an announcement in the parliament.

It is understood that Mr. Healy is soon to come to London for an audience with the king whom, it is believed, he did not see in connection with his appointment to office. It is customary, although not legally necessary that the governors of the British dominions be received in audience upon their appointment, when the ancient formality of kissing the king's hand is observed as an evidence of fealty.

DEATHS

KILBURN—Henry Whitman Kilburn, M.D., a former resident of this city, died suddenly in Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 3. Dr. Kilburn was the only son of John Kilburn, who at one time was the agent of the Lawrence Manufacturing Co. At that time, Henry W. Kilburn was a student at Harvard. Dr. Kilburn traveled and studied extensively in Europe after his graduation, and was an eye specialist in Boston for some time, where he practiced until recently. Dr. Kilburn was well known to many of the older residents of the city.

TONKS—Mrs. M. Louise Tonks, a former resident of this city, died Thursday, Nov. 30, at her home in Daytona, Fla. She is survived by her husband, Arthur W., of Daytona; one son, Gerald of Lowell; two sisters, Mrs. Mary E. Henry and Miss Cora A. McGauvran of this city, and four brothers, Edward, Peter, William and Frank of Lowell.

Burial will take place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Announcemtn later.

LOCKWOOD—Mrs. Jennie (Devoe) Lockwood died last evening at her home, 190 West Sixth street, after a short illness, aged 54 years. She leaves her husband, Loran Lockwood; three daughters, Mrs. Theodore Thibodeau of Nova Scotia, Mrs. Harold Tilton of Franklin, N. H., and Mrs. Norman Comeau of this city; one son, Wilfred Lockwood of Salem; two brothers, Theodore Devoe of Nova Scotia and John Devoe of Minneapolis, Minn., and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Power of Everett and Mrs. James Surette of Nova Scotia.

BELANGER—Joseph Belanger died this morning at his home, 94 Ford street, aged 77 years. He was ill but a few days and his passing will be regretted by his many friends. He leaves four daughters, Mrs. Corinne Tellier of Canada and the Misses Exilda, Cora and Della Belanger of this city; one son, Frank Belanger, also of this city; three brothers, Louis of Canada and Narcisse and Israel of Cohoes, N. Y.; two sisters, Miss Exilda Belanger and Mrs. Euphemie Roberge, both of Canada.

TZAKOS—Charles Tzakos, beloved son of Arthur and Para Tzakos died this morning at the Lowell General hospital, aged eight years, 10 months, 23 days. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

BUNCE—The funeral of Mrs. Rose M. Bunce took place yesterday afternoon at the home in Bridge street, Chelmsford, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. E. C. Bartlett, a former pastor of the Central Congregational church, assisted by Rev. Charles H. Ellis of the Central Baptist church. There were many beautiful floral offerings. The bearers were Robert Polley, Amos Polley, Walter D. Falls, Thomas Grey, Fred F. Wiggin and Ervin E. Smith. Burial was in Fairview cemetery, Westford. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Perham.

O'GRADY—The body of Catherine O'Grady, who died at St. John's hospital Tuesday, was forwarded yesterday afternoon by Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons to Rochester, N. Y., where services will be held Friday and burial will take place in St. Rose's cemetery.

HUTCHINSON—The funeral of Charles Parker Hutchinson took place yesterday afternoon from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. Services were conducted by Rev. Thomas Laite of the First Evangelical church. The bearers were George Hutchinson, Frank and Walter Hutchinson, sons of the deceased, and Archie Crafts, son-in-law. There were many floral offerings. Burial was in the family lot in Coburn cemetery in Pelham. George W. Eastman had charge of the funeral arrangements.

SUPRENANT—The funeral of Israel Suprenant took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the chapel of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. The bearers were E. W. Walden, Fred Marcotte, Victor Lefebre and Joseph Lee. The burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FORD RUNS 57 MILES ON GALLON OF GASOLINE

A new automatic vaporizer and decarbonizer, which in actual test has increased the power and mileage of Fords from 25 to 50 per cent. and at the same time removes every particle of carbon from the cylinders, is the proud achievement of John A. Stransky, 3165 South Main street, Pakwana, South Dakota. A remarkable feature of this simple and inexpensive device is that its action is governed entirely by the motor. It is slipped between the carburetor and intake manifold and can be installed by anyone in five minutes without drilling or tapping. With it attached, Ford cars have made from 40 to 57 miles on one gallon of gasoline. Mr. Stransky wants to place a few of these devices on cars in this territory and has a very liberal offer to make to anyone who is able to handle the business which is sure to be created wherever this marvelous little device is demonstrated. If you want to try one entirely at his risk, send him your name and address today.—Adv.

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HEARING ON TRANSFER OF POLLING BOOTH

The election commission has set next Tuesday evening as a time for a hearing on a petition filed by residents of Pawtucketville to transfer the polling booth for precinct 3 of ward 7 from its present location in Riverside street near Moody to the Pawtucket school in Mammoth road.

The hearing will be held in the council-chamber and is set for 8 p. m. It will be attended by the full board and all persons interested will be notified in advance of the time and place.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CARPENTIER—The funeral of Mrs. Victorine Carpentier will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 17 Hall street. Solemn high funeral mass will be sung in St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock to which friends are invited to attend. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery. Arrangements in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

RANLETT—Died in this city, Dec. 6, at 353 Wilder street, Orrin B. Ranlett, aged 77 years. Funeral services will be held at 353 Wilder street Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited to attend. Burial private. Undertaker W. Herbert Blake in charge.

LINDQUIST—Died in this city Dec. 5, at 273 High street, George W. Lindquist, aged 47 years 7 months and 12 days. Private funeral services will be held at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street, on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Undertaker William H. Saunders in charge.

TONKS—Died Nov. 30, in Daytona, Fla., Mrs. M. Louise Tonks. Funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where services will be held at 3 o'clock. On Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock a requiem mass will be sung at St. Michael's church for the repose of her soul. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MASS NOTICE

SARGENT—There will be an anniversary high mass of requiem Saturday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Michael's church for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Catherine B. Sargent.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Patrick O'Callaghan and Miss Bridget Elizabeth Hyde were married in St. Patrick's parochial residence Wednesday evening, Nov. 29, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. J. McGarry, D.C.L., pastor. The bride was attended by Miss Norah Murphy of Lexington and the best man was Mr. Michael O'Callaghan, a brother of the bridegroom. The couple will make their home at 35 Varney street.

Hunt For Murderess

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tence for killing Mrs. Alberta Meadows.

Johnson was said to have formed a friendship for Mrs. Phillips while he was in the county jail last summer. He was taken into custody last night pending developments in the search for Mrs. Phillips.

The sheriff's office announced early today it had received a telegram from Sheriff Pinrock at Ogden, Utah, stating he was positive Mrs. Phillips was aboard a train which passed through Ogden shortly after midnight.

That train and one other were searched at Laramie, Wyo., but no one answering the description of Mrs. Phillips was found.

It had been reported from other sources also that she and a blonde friend boarded the train at Long Beach, Cal., and throughout the trip had kept to their stateroom.

It also was declared the women were traveling on tickets reading from Long Beach, Cal., to Baltimore, Md.

Other reports reaching the sheriff's office came from Omaha, where it was said police officers believed Mrs. Phillips had been seen last night on a train bound for Chicago, but it was said this was impossible "unless she had fled in an airplane."

Wholesale Delivery Plot

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—Six saws were found in the possession of E. A. McNabb, held in the Los Angeles county jail on thirty criminal charges, according to Mark Bailey, jailer. The saws were discovered in a search after the escape of Mrs. Clara Phillips when a rumor reached the jailer that other prisoners were plotting a wholesale delivery.

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Fancy Lean Stickers—Whole, lb. ..... 11¢
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STEAK TOP ROUND SIRLOIN VEIN lb. 25c
From Good Quality Beef
Young Fatted Roosters, lb. 32c | Fresh Killed FOWL, lb. 35c
TURKEYS, lb., 32c, 35c, 50c, 55c
FANCY 2-Lb. CHICKENS, cut in half, lb. 29¢
CHUCK ROLLS, Clear Meat, for Oven or Pot Roast, lb.... 15c
FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATOES 15-Lb. Peck... 25c
STAR SWEET POTATOES ..... 10 lbs. 25¢
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TURKS MUST MAKE CHOICE

To Decide Whether Turkey Will Cast Lot With Russia or With Entente Powers

To Submit Plan for Control of the Dardanelles to Lausanne Conference

LAUSANNE, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) The Turkish delegates to the Near East conference today faced the difficult problem of deciding whether Turkey, in formulating her plan for control of the Dardanelles, should cast her lot with Russia or with the entente powers and the United States. Turkey's suggestions for the solution of the perplexing straits question, will be made public tomorrow.

Ismet Pasha and his associates, in formulating their plans, were confronted by the sharp differences in opinion between Great Britain and Russia in the discussion of the Dardanelles question. If Turkey, on the one hand, goes over to the British camp, she fears the irate Russian army on her eastern frontier; if, on the other hand, she sides with Russia in demanding complete control of the waterway, she fears the British navy in the straits.

The Turks were greatly impressed by the plan presented by Lord Curzon yesterday on behalf of the entente, which was approved in general by the statement of the position of the United States.

The Turks apparently cannot forget that Russia is Turkey's traditional enemy and that Premier Lenine's government may not be less covetous of Constantinople and the Straits than was Russia in the days of the czars.

Turkey has always found protection in numbers. She has played the European countries against each other to her great advantage time and again and she hesitates to trust her fate to Russia alone while the rest of Europe, supported by the United States, opposes an effort to turn the Black sea into a Russian lake.

HALL-MILLS MURDER

Banker, Believed to Have Been Eye-Witness to Murders to Be Questioned

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 7.—Detective David of Middlesex county, announced today that he planned to question a New Brunswick banker who he believes may have been an eye-witness to the murder of the Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor R. Mills on Sept. 14.

According to David, the banker has been questioned at least twice, but refused to confirm or deny the story that he was on Phillips' farm on the night of the crime. David would not indicate why he wanted to question him further.

Mysterious Car Found

According to detectives, the mysterious green car which Mrs. Jane Gibson said she saw on De Bussey's lane the night of the murder has been discovered. They asserted that, while the banker mentioned is not the owner of the machine, they declared he had an arrangement with the owner by which he could use it whenever he desired.

The investigators said they believed the banker had witnessed the shootings. They declared that his story would corroborate Mrs. Gibson's statement in many respects.

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MISS BIRKHEAD AGAIN ON STAND

Star Witness in Her $100,000 Damage Suit Against Gov. Russell

Girl Accuses Mississippi Executive of Seduction and Other Serious Charges

OXFORD, Miss., Dec. 7.—Miss Frances Birkhead, a star witness yesterday in her $100,000 damage suit against Lee M. Russell, governor of Mississippi, based on charges of seduction and other serious allegations, faced an additional period on the witness stand in federal court here today. She just had entered upon cross-examination when court adjourned yesterday.

Governor Russell preceded the young woman on the stand and was examined briefly, having been called by plaintiff counsel as an adverse witness. He denied all the charges contained in Miss Birkhead's petition and declared he had not stated in the presence of former Governor Theo G. Bilbo, of Mississippi, that he was responsible for her condition, or that he had requested Mr. Bilbo to make an effort to have the matter settled. The governor is expected to be called to the stand later by his counsel.

An attachment has been issued directing Mr. Bilbo to appear as a witness.

VISITORS COMING TO TEXTILE SCHOOL

The Lowell Textile school will be honored with a visit tomorrow morning from members of the Merrimack Valley school superintendents' Round Table, who will be taken on a tour of inspection of the school by Principal Charles H. Eames. Dinner will be served at 12.30 at the Middlesex County Training school, North Chelmsford, following which Principal Eames and Prof. Louis A. Olney, head of the chemistry department of the Textile school, will address the gathering on "Opportunities Afforded at the Textile School."

SOMERVILLE BOY ELECTED

ANNANDALE-on-HUDSON, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Martin B. White of Somerville, Mass., has been elected captain of the football team at St. Stephen's college for 1923. He is a halfback.

SCHOONER TOTAL LOSS

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Dec. 7.—The 50-ton schooner Mary A., of North Sydney, wrecked yesterday on the Grand River bar, today was reported a total loss. The crew was reported to have been rescued.

COUZENS TAKES OATH

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—James Couzens, Detroit, appointed by Governor Groesbeck of Michigan to succeed former Senator Newberry, took the oath of office today in the senate.

Young Woman Shot At

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unoccupied farm-house, they discovered a pool of blood on the snow and saw a bloody trail that led from the roadside up over a field to the house. The officers followed the trail to the back door of the house. Here they found another large pool. The house was deserted. The policemen went to the next house and there they claim to have found Welch and another boy, a juvenile, who will be brought before the juvenile court tomorrow. When asked about the trail of blood the officers claim the boys admitted killing a dog. The dog was later found near the roadside where the boys are said to have dragged it. The dog, an airedale, is the property of A. B. Cameron of this city.

According to the officers they said Miss Kirkeby was walking home from a visit to a neighboring house shortly before 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon. As she neared the house where the boys were located she heard a shot fired. She then claims to have heard one of the boys say, "Load it up again; we missed her that time." As far as can be found out no other shots were fired from the gun, which was a 12-gauge, single-shotgun.

Both Officer Vinal and Officer Gookin say the house where the boys have been hanging around of late has been sort of a gathering place for a gang of youthful thugs.

Complaints about dogs being killed by boys in North Chelmsford reached Agent Richardson of the Lowell Humane society yesterday afternoon. He investigated and struck the right trail, but the officers had already found the boys alleged to be responsible for the dog killing and gun firing.

Important Tax Case

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four automobile trucks, the property of the plaintiff, have been properly assessed.

In the proper course of events the Lowell assessors placed an assessment against the four trucks in question, holding they were commercial vehicles. Mr. Trull asked for an abatement on the grounds that the trucks were farm implements and therefore, tax exempt. The board refused to grant the abatement and Mr. Trull brought civil action through his attorney, Larkin T. Trull. The case was tried before Judge Sisk at the recent jury-waived session in this city, with Edward J. Tierney representing the city.

When advised of the court's decision, Larkin T. Trull stated he would ask for a review of the case before the full bench of the supreme court.

While the amount of money involved in the case—hardly more than $100—is inconsequential, the precedent that would be established is far-reaching in importance, according to tax officials.

A. B. Fales, state director of the division of local taxation, has expressed great interest in the case, inasmuch as similar requests for abatements have come to his notice from large truck farm operators in towns neighborly to Boston, where many automobile trucks are owned.

City Solicitor Tierney feels the city has won a most important case and points to the fact that it is the second to be so judged this year. The other was the famous Frank Hanchett tax case.

$6300 Stolen From Registered Letters

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Seven registered letters each containing $1000, sent to the Havana branch of the National City bank of New York, were rifled aboard the steamer Pastores during a trip between New York city and Havana, according to allegations filed by the government in the federal court here today, seeking to recover $15,000 damages from the United Fruit Co., owners of the vessel. A total of $6300 was stolen from the letters, the government claims. It was charged that the entire contents of five letters were removed while items of $700 and $600 were taken from the two remaining.

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Plain and block stitch weaves, round and V necks.
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The wanted colors—Buff, gray and brown.
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Serge and Poiret Twill
DRESSES
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Cotton Taffeta
PETTICOATS
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We have hundreds of cards, with new designs and sentiments adapted for personal use.

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Clean Your Bowels! Stop Sick Headache, Dizziness, Colds, Sour Stomach, Gases, Bad Breath

Clean your bowels—then feel fine! Enjoy the nicest, gentlest bowel cleansing you ever experienced by taking one or two candy-like Cascarets tonight. They physic your bowels fully. All the constipated waste and sour bile will move out of the bowels without griping or stirring you up. There will be no bowel poison to cause colds, sick headache, dizziness, biliousness or sour stomach, when you wake up in the morning. More men, women and children take Cascarets for the liver and bowels than all other laxative-cathartics combined. 10 cent boxes, also 25 and 50 cent sizes. Any drug store.—Adv.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

NEW IDEAS IN THE STUDY OF PSYCHOLOGY

The development of personality and the dynamic forces that aid in such development were explained in a discussion that touched upon so-called "new ideas in the study of psychology," yesterday at the State Normal school, Albert L. Stafford, superintendent of schools in Reading, being the speaker of the afternoon. The lecture is one of two to be given under the general heading of "Dynamics of Personality." Supt. Safford will deliver on Monday next instead of Wednesday, another talk on "Sources of Power."

The speaker yesterday was introduced by Principal Clarence W. Weed and said in part:

"No individual responds in the same way to situations. Everybody's character leads them to respond in their own way. The study of development of personality along this line in its broad sense is something new and marks an epoch of psychology. The new theory deals with the way the individual acts and with what he does. By 'dynamic' we mean the 'moving force.' The significant thing to look for is what he does and the way he responds to the situations in which he finds himself. We are not complete in ourselves, but in the way we respond to contacts we make life complete. The development of the individual comes under three heads relative to other individuals; relative to making the world better for the next generation, and relative to having to do with the infinite."

The speaker traced the development of the child from the stage of dependence to independence, from interest first in the mother, then later to the father and still later in others. In this development, the speaker said, the child lost its selfishness as he came more in contact with others.

Referring to education and its fruits, the speaker said:

"There are two aspects in life that must be harmonized. We are apt to think of education as the things we learn, when education really consists of the use we make of our information. It is not what we learn, it is what we do with it."

The speaker said the "next great step in developing the children will be our understanding of our pupils, the emotional side of life being taken much account of." There are people today, he said, who are mentally sick, which is a phase that was not considered seriously. People have also been called nervous, when they are really mentally sick. By being so means that some characteristic, which we all have, has in the person so affected become exaggerated.

NEW CITY DIRECTORY

The publishers of the City Directory, Sampson & Murdock Co., announce the completion of their canvass for the 1923 directory, their seventy-second volume. Any who have moved or who fear they may have been overlooked should send their names, with present and previous addresses, to the book and stationery store of G. C. Prince & Son, Inc., who will forward all such communications to the publishers.

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Doing your Christmas mailing early.
Packing your parcels safely.
Wrapping them securely.
Addressing them plainly.

Why bread and milk?

The answer to above question will appear in this space tomorrow.

Yesterday's Question: What is the best fuel-food?

The Answer: Food experts recognize pure *bread* as the master builder of physical energy. Most of these same experts recognize Bond Bread as the purest that can be made. The health-giving materials which give Bond Bread its delicious home-made flavor are listed on the wrapper of each loaf.

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POST 185, G. A. R. ELECTS OFFICERS

A feature of last evening's meeting of Post 185, G.A.R., which took place in the quarters of the organization in the Auditorium was the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Franklin S. Pevey, commander; Albert I. Gilman, senior vice-commander; George E. Bryant, junior vice-commander; Charles M. Bixby, officer of guard; Reuben Salls, surgeon; Coburn S. Smith, chaplain. An invitation to attend a Christmas tree celebration under the auspices of the Sons of Veterans on Dec. 23 at Memorial hall was accepted.

FAIRBURN EMPLOYES HAVE THEATRE PARTY

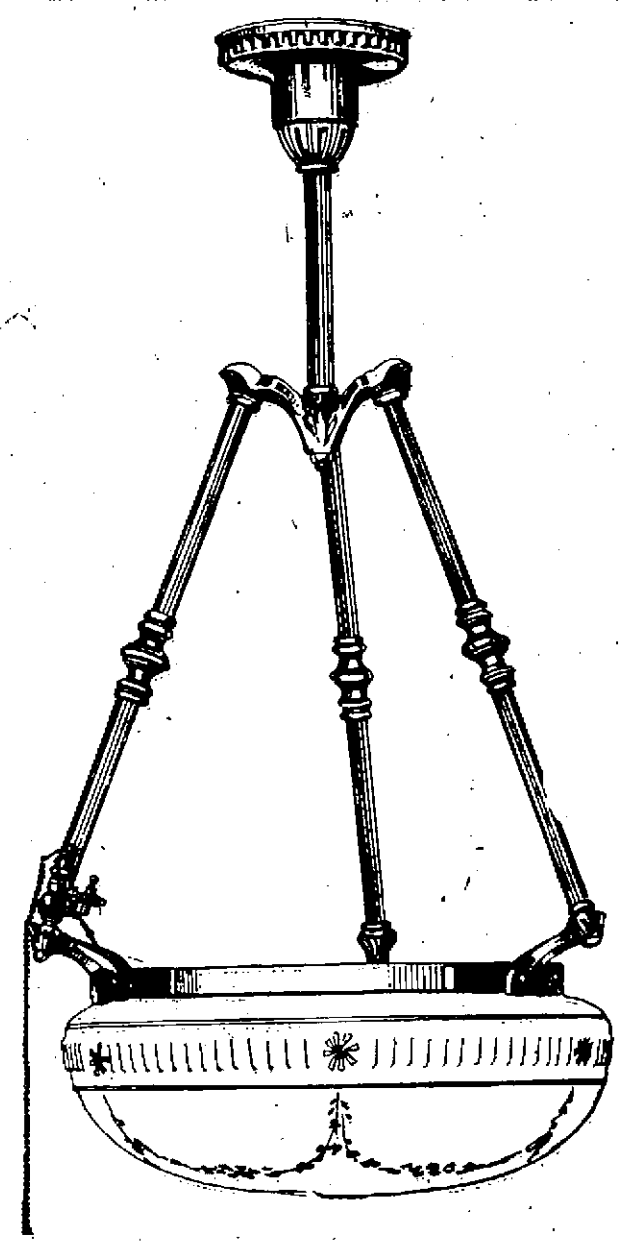
The employes of Fairburn's Market, Inc., were the guests of their popular employer at Keith's Theatre, Tuesday evening. Just before theatre time all assembled at the market, and under the direction of Clarence Fairburn and James Stapleton, manager, they proceeded to Keith's theatre, where seats in the centre of the house were reserved for them. The show was thoroughly enjoyed and things were livened a bit by frequent quips from the performers pertaining to the market men. After the show the market men were loud in their praise for the kindness and thoughtfulness of their employer, Mr. Fairburn.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

At a recent meeting of the American Legion auxiliary of North Chelmsford the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Elizabeth Miner, president; Mrs. Marion Johnson, senior vice president; Mrs. Dorothy Russell, junior vice president; Mrs. Adeline Carll, secretary; Mrs. Edith Sargent, treasurer; Mrs. Hodge, chaplain; Mrs. Howitt Adams, historian; Misses Bernadette Gladu and Anna Cummings, color bearers; Miss Josephine McEnaney, press committee; Miss Ethel Booth, door guard; Miss Grace Cummings, Miss Gertrude Picard and Mrs. Bessie Robinson, executive committee.

"You Can Do It Better With Gas"

A BEAUTIFUL LIGHT



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This new design will give

PERFECT ILLUMINATION

In order that all may enjoy the advantage of this latest design Semi for home illumination, we have made the price unusually low. It is our hope to place at least 1000 of these fixtures in Lowell homes.

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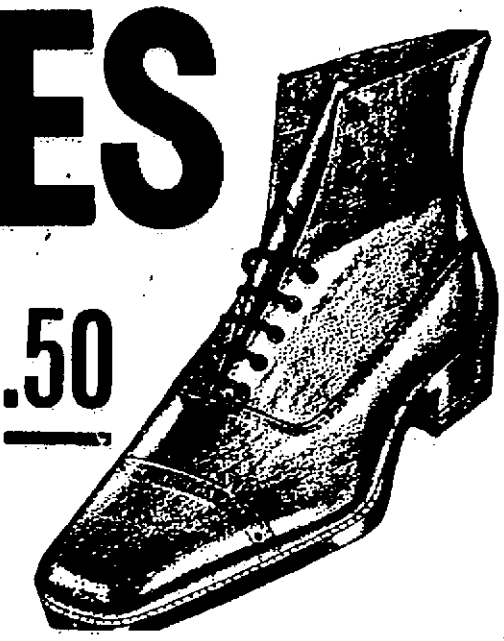

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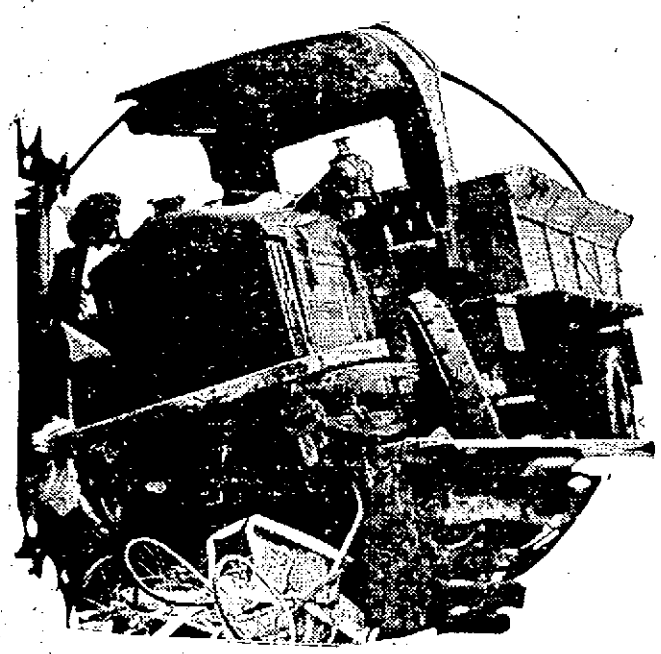
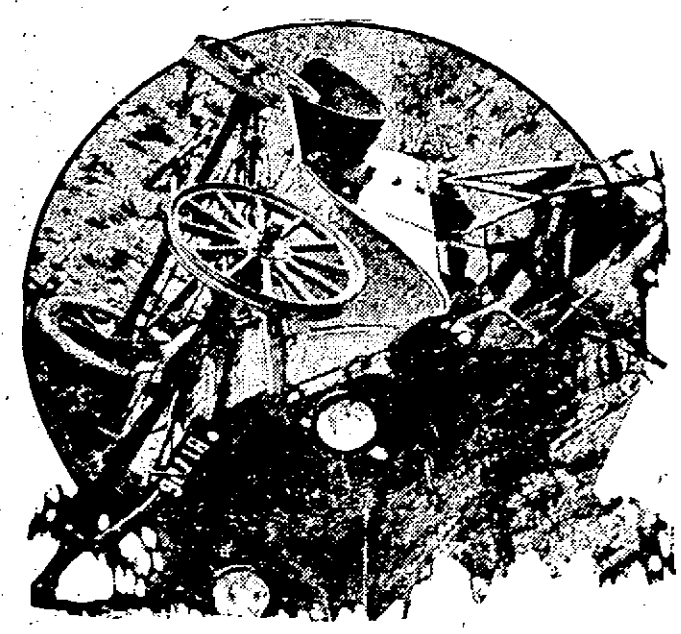
Per Year

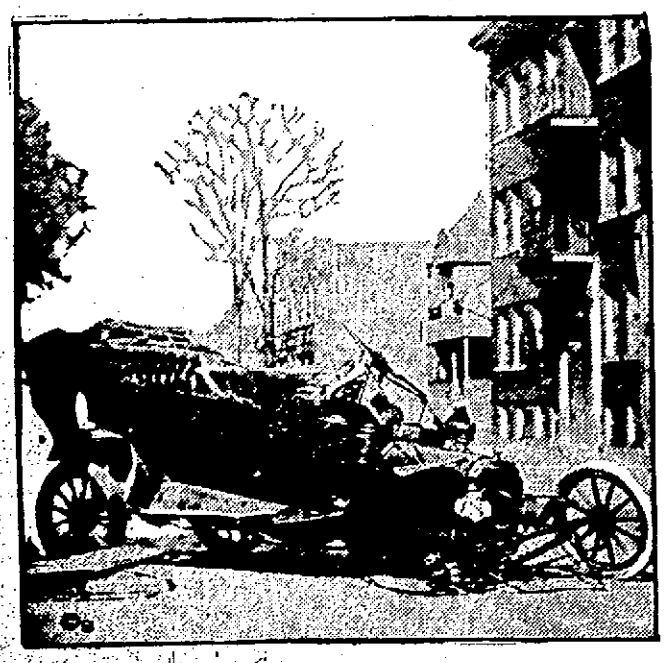
One Person Killed Every Forty Minutes is Auto Toll

Auto Injuries
40,000
Per Year

A Picture Story







Automobile accidents kill one person on an average every 40 minutes, or 36 a day, on America's highways and streets. While you are reading this article at least two Americans will be injured in motor accidents.

More Americans than were killed in the World war are being killed and injured in automobile mishaps this year. The total toll will be about 13,000 persons killed and approximately 40,000 injured—many of these maimed for life.

One-third of these will be children, not yet 15 years old. Nine-tenths will be pedestrians run down by autoists.

Figures compiled for The Sun by N. E. A. Service in a nation-wide survey, show that in 1921, lives of 11,024 persons were snuffed out by automobiles, and aproximately 36,000 pore injured. These figures, compiled from vital statistics records of each state, represent the most complete check ever made of the American juggernaut's fearful harvest.

Motor fatalities will kill more people this year than typhoid, malaria and smallpox combined. They will exceed the deaths from appendicitis and equal diphtheria fatalities—and in most cases, they could have been avoided.

And instead of decreasing or remaining stationary, the percentage of automobile fatalities is steadily increasing, despite all efforts to regulate traffic.

Fatalities on Increase

Increase in automobile traffic and corresponding increase in the percentage of automobile fatalities per 100,000 population is shown in figures for cities and counties where accurate statistics are kept. Figures for these localities show that:

In 1917, with 4,933,340 automobiles licensed, there were 6724 deaths in auto accidents, or a death rate from this cause of 9.0 per 100,000 population.

With 6,146,617 automobiles in 1918, there were 7525 fatalities, or 9.3 per 100,000.

Autos numbered 7,558,848 in 1919. There were 7965 persons killed, or 9.4 per 100,000.

In 1920, with 9,211,296 automobiles licensed, there were 9103 fatalities or 10.4 per 100,000 population.

There were 10,445,362 licensed automobiles operating in the United States in 1921. In the United States census bureau's registration area, which contains 82 per cent of the nation's population, there were 10,168 deaths, or 11.5 per 100,000 population.

Between 1917 and 1921, therefore, the death rate per 100,000 population from motor vehicle accidents increased about 28 per cent.

This year, there are nearly 11,000,000 motor vehicles running in the streets and roads of the United States. Everything points to the highest automobile death toll in history, the greatest record of violent death from any single cause except war.

> Automobiles yearly kill more Americans than typhoid, malaria and smallpox combined.
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> Automobile accidents cause an annual property loss of a billion dollars a year. Since 1917, the destruction by automobiles has totaled nearly one-half the huge sum America spent during the World war.
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> And authorities agree that nearly all of this loss of life, limb and property is preventable.

California Leads

California shows the greatest number of automobile fatalities per 100,000 population, and one of her cities, Los Angeles, has the highest automobile death rate of any American city of more than 100,000. There were 889 fatalities in California last year, or 24.1 deaths per 100,000 population. Los Angeles' rate is 27.9, with 170 fatalities last year. This was a decrease from 24.4 in 1920 for California, and an increase for Los Angeles from 27.1.

Mississippi has the lowest record for auto deaths, the rate being 2.7 per 100,000. South Carolina is second with 4.5.

Despite all their traffic police, their safety commissions and their other efforts to minimize accidents, the large cities present the highest death rate. Compared with the national death rate of 11.5 per 100,000 population, the death rate in 66 American cities last year was 15.5. The safest city in the United States is New Bedford, Mass. It decreased its automobile fatalities from 16 in 1918 to half that number in 1921, or 6.4 per 100,000.

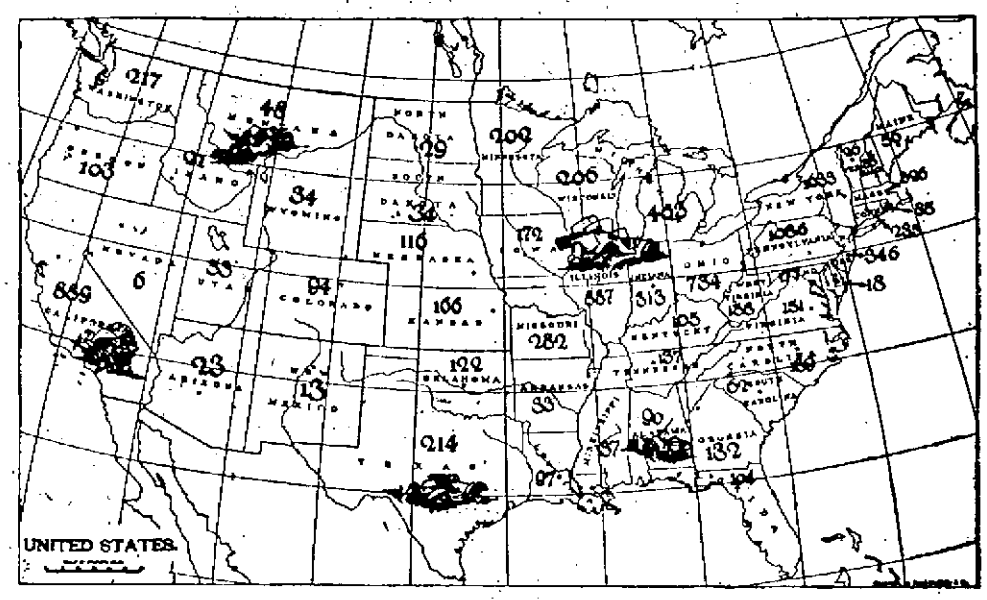
New York state, with 1633 auto deaths in 1921, shows a death rate of 15.4. In the first nine months of 1922, the Empire state had 1219 fatalities. New York city's fatalities in 1921 totalled 596, or 15.6 per 100,000 residents, with 701 deaths up to October 1 as the 1922 toll.

Cities with the highest ratio of automobile fatalities, following Los Angeles, are: Youngstown, O., 24.3 per 100,000; Kansas City, 20.8; Chicago, 20.3; Albany, N. Y., 20; Bridgeport, Conn., 19.5; Lowell, Mass., 19.3.

"Accurate Count Impossible"

"Yearly deaths from highway traffic accidents are variously estimated at from 12,000 to 36,000," declares William P. Eno, international traffic authority. "I doubt that even official figures give a true picture of the extent of auto fatalities.

"As a matter of fact, there is no means of making an accurate count, because many of those who ultimately die from traffic accidents get home, out of town or to a hospital, and all records of the cause of the death are often lost. It is not unlikely that the total number of deaths from highway traffic is 36,000 per year, or about 100 every day."



This map of the United States shows the number of fatal automobile accidents in each state during 1921. It was compiled for The Lowell Sun by NEA Serivce from the mortality records of the states—the most comprehensive survey of America's auto death harvest that has ever been made.

Dandelions in Blossom in Columbus

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 7.—With the west in the grip of below zero weather and with northern Ohio experiencing sleet and ice storms, dandelions were in blossom in Columbus today, and many bushes contained buds, following several days of unusually mild December weather.

17 Driven Into Street by Fire in Boston

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Fire in a four story brick apartment building in the West End drove 17 scantily attired persons into the street, early today. Several women and children were carried down ladders to safety by firmen. The fire started in an overheated furnace, and spread quickly. Smoke-filled hallways forced tenants to flee by way of the fire escapes. Sam Serotick, was burned about the head in rescuing his father and mother. None was seriously hurt. The damage was slight.

Record in Freight Movements

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Freight movement which has been abnormally heavy for several weeks, is still setting new seasonal records, according to reports made public today by the car service division of the American Railway Association. In the week which ended Nov. 25, railroads loaded 955,495 cars, 292,000 more than in the same week of 1921, and 151,000 more than in 1920.

NO IMMEDIATE ADVANCE IN PRICE OF MILK

The price of 13 cents per quart for bottled milk in Lowell and vicinity will remain unchanged until Jan. 1, 1923.

There has been no real attempt made by anyone to boost the price to 14 cents this month, and no meeting of any of the distributing or producing committees has been held recently.

"Reports that a meeting to discuss raising prices was held last evening, are certainly untrue. There has been no such meeting called and none asked for," said J. E. Moody of the Turner Centre Creamery Co.

Mr. Moody said further, that with the prices of grain remaining stationary, although they are still higher than they were some months ago, there have been no protests from farmers and producers in any quarter of the Lowell district regarding the present wholesale price paid to the producers of milk, and the 13-cent retail price will not be changed for the present.

That was the frank opinion today of several other well known producers and local distributors of milk covering the Lowell trade. There has been nary an important protest against present prices, and wholesalers are, for the most part, fairly well satisfied for the present with the way the market is "holding its own."

Some producers are said to feel that if a demand is made for 14-cent milk at this time, with householders having worries about coal problems for one thing apart from the milk question, it might not "go well." But what really blocks any price-advance idea at the present time, if the truth must be told, said one farmer who raises a lot of milk for Lowell distribution, is the fact that grain prices are now stationary after the short and sharp advances of some time ago.

There has been no formal agreement made lately to continue the present price of 13 cents (retail), but that is to be done just the same, and, so far as known today, no producer is seriously thinking of registering any kicks against this unofficial program for the December trades.

Present prices of grain are stationary, although some are fully $10 and $12 a thousand per ton weight higher than they were six months ago. The big advance came during the early fall, when the farmers began to see their monthly grain bills eat up a good deal of the so-called milk profits. Then came the demand for another cent per quart for the producers, which was granted, the cent raise being transferred in due course to the purchasers of milk by tacking another cent on to the current 12-cent per quart raise.

At this time, with hay and grain prices absolutely stationary, notwithstanding unsteady shipments due to congestions on the railroads, there appear to be no immediate prospects of feed prices jumping upward right away. As a matter of fact, The Sun was informed today that rail shipments of all grains necessary to conduct the best dairies hereabouts, were coming along a good deal more freely this month than was the case last month.

As an instance of the methods used by large milk producers in and near Lowell, who buy their own feed products by the carload and save goodly sums of money yearly by this method of car-lot purchases and the needed feeds, Arthur W. Colburn of Dracut had a car containing several hundred bags of milk feeds come in this morning in the railroad siding down on Western avenue, and is transferring the lot by trucks to the Dracut farm "grain elevators."

Good Cream Scarce

The demand for best cream has been heavy this fall in Lowell. Local dealers rarely have all they would like to have to supply demands. In some cases large distributors of milks and creams have had to go out into the local market, or depend upon a friendly dealer nearby to "loan" a few cases of the heavy creams in order to keep customers supplied.

Good quality cream is bringing fair prices, but nothing alarming as might be the case where a real shortage is reported. Small "halves" are selling at 20 cents "with the bottle" in some retail stores. Little of the cream sold is "thick Jersey," but is good quality and of good substance.

Some dealers cannot understand why the demand for cream is so heavy at this time of the year.

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PLAIN AND FANCY TRICOLETTE—Heavy quality, tubular form, a timely Xmas gift suggestion, for scarfs, blouses, etc., all wanted colors. Friday Special... $1.39

56-INCH BOLIVIA COATING—All wool, soft, silky finish, a warm and stylish material for coats, in the season's popular colors. Friday Special $3.85

36-INCH EMBROIDERY LINEN—All pure linen. Friday, in the basement 85c

36-INCH CRETONNES—Basement special for Friday 14c

32-INCH SILK STRIPE SHIRTING—Beautiful, new striped designs, a good wearing quality. Friday Special..... 39c

54-INCH FINE FRENCH SERGE—All pure wool, in navy and black, an exceptionally good quality and a splendid value at the price quoted for Friday..... $1.79

56-INCH ASTRAKAN COATING—Much in vogue for coats, trimmings and scarfs. For Friday only..... $3.39

54-INCH ALL WOOL JERSEY—For dresses, etc., wanted colors. Friday Special.. $1.55

TURKISH TOWELS—18x36 inches, heavy and absorbent. Basement Special 19c

NASHUA WOOL-NAP BLANKETS—60x76 inches. Special in the Basement, Pair..... $1.89

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The cup of coffee rich in color, aroma and flavor.
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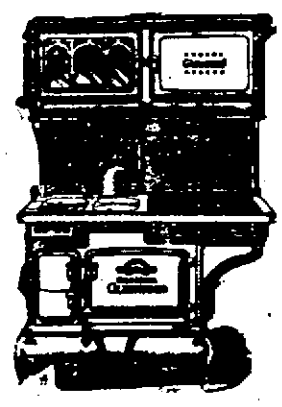

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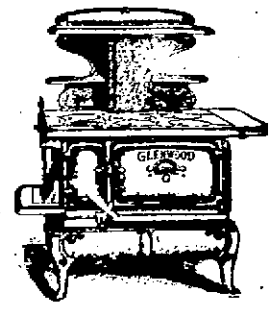

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MRS. HELEN BRYANT FRENCH

PROFESSOR CHARGED WITH BIGAMY

The honeymoon of Professor Ralph French, 26, of Mountain View, N. J., was suddenly wrecked when Mrs. Helen Bryant French, 22, of Dover, N. J., charged the young teacher with bigamy and stated that she was his legal wife No. 1. Arrest by the police ended his honeymoon. Professor French has refused to make a statement.

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Ambassador Child at Lausanne, speaking for United States, asks full access to Black sea in peace and war.

Tchitcherin declares allied proposal for regulation of Turkish straits is directed against Russia and will compel her to arm for defense.

Joseph P. Tumulty, after three months' stay with injured daughter in Munich, defends Bavarians and denies they discriminate unduly against foreigners.

British steamer Clyne Rock collides with American liner George Washington, off Dover, Eng. Damage not revealed.

London reports that Gabriele d'Annunzio is seriously ill at Gardone.

Germany will ask allies to approve internal gold loan for stabilization and cash reparations payments.

Clemenceau recalls old times in his visit with Woodrow Wilson and describes their meeting as affectionate.

Representative of American farm bureau federation in speech at Burlington, Vt., says average net income of American farmer will be less than $165 this year.

Mayor of Montreal declares burning of Catholic institutions in Canada is work of fanatics who, he believes, are not Protestants and have used Ku Klux Klan as cloak.

Frieda Hempel, singer, reports that her New York apartment has been robbed of jewels and other articles worth at least $25,000.

James C. Penney, head of 371 stores in 29 states, takes out single life insurance policy of $1,500,000, making his total life insurance $3,000,000.

Dr. Amy Kaukonen, mayor of Fairport, O., tells New Yorkers of her fight against bootleggers.

Generals Pershing and Dawes at Chicago appeal for suppression of radicals, deeper patriotism and more powerful United States army.

Norman Selby, better known as Kid McCoy, files bankruptcy petition at Los Angeles.

Indianapolis mayor announces sanity test for all persons arrested for automobile speeding.

Gov. Russell of Mississippi in federal court denies charges made by woman stenographer in suit for $100,000 damages.

Steamer Heinrich Kayser calls for assistance, reporting adrift in heavy seas on Atlantic.

Massachusetts motor vehicle fees for 1922, up to Nov. 30, placed at $5,665,827. Nearly 100,000 more registered cars than last year.

Twenty-five thousand passengers and 30 trains tied up one hour by failure of air pressure system on interlocking switches outside North station, Boston. One unidentified man slips through a "jackknife" drawbridge after leaving train and drowns in Charles river.

Catarrh Will Go

Help Comes in Two Minutes—Complete Relief in a Few Weeks

Don't go on hawking yourself sick every morning; it's cruel, it's harmful and it's unnecessary.

If after breathing Hyomei, the wonderworker, you are not rid of vile catarrh, you can have your money back.

No stomach dosing—just take the little hard rubber pocket inhaler that comes with each outfit, and pour into it a few drops of Hyomei. Breathe it according to directions. In two minutes it will relieve you of that stuffed up feeling. Use it daily and in a few weeks you should be entirely free from catarrh.

Breathing Hyomei is a very pleasant and certain way to kill catarrh germs.

Get a Hyomei outfit today. It's sold by druggists everywhere with guarantee to quickly and safely end catarrh, croup, coughs, colds, sore throat and bronchitis or money back; it's inexpensive.—Adv.

Has He Found a Cure for Asthma?

Simple Prescription Gives Instant Relief. Makes Breathing Easy

In New England, where Bronchial Asthma, Bronchitis and other diseases of the throat and lungs are so prevalent, remarkably successful results are being reported following the use of a new form of treatment known as Oxidaze, a physician's prescription.

Oxidaze is a harmless but powerful combination of curative essential oils concentrated and compressed into a small tablet. One of these tablets slowly dissolved before going to bed seems to have the effect of releasing the muscular constriction of the bronchial tubes, opening up the air passages and regulating spasmodic lung action. This enables the patient to breathe easily and naturally while lying down and to get a comfortable night's sleep.

So much interest has been shown that local druggists, including Green's Drug Store, Liggett's, Lowell Pharmacy have secured a small supply and state that they are authorized to refund the money paid for the first package if in any case this new treatment fails to give relief. Oxidaze is pleasant to take, contains no harmful, habit forming drugs and is not expensive. This makes their test an easy matter.—Adv.

POLICEMEN HONOR LIEUTENANT RYAN

Lieut. Bartholomew Ryan of the police force, who was recently transferred from street duty to a desk position was pleasantly surprised last night at roll call when, on behalf of the uniformed members of the force, Patrolman Ed. Flannagan presented him two leather chairs, a rug, a pipe and a few boxes of cigars. In his presentation remarks Patrolman Flanagan told of the high esteem in which the rank and file held Lieut. Ryan. Although pretty much surprised and perhaps a bit confused at the situation confronting him, Lieut. Ryan managed to express his thanks to the "boys."

SUNDAY SCHOOL ELECTS OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Worthen Street Sunday school officers, held last night in the church, officers were elected for the organization. The following were chosen: A. K. Johnson, superintendent; George Drew, assistant superintendent; Mrs. A. K. Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Verner Clark, treasurer; Miss Belle Sutherland, librarian; Miss Eugenia Hogan, historian; Mrs. A. K. Johnson, superintendent of supplies; Mrs. Frank Hawnsley, superintendent of cradle roll; Mrs. L. M. McQuester, superintendent of junior and intermediaries; Mrs. Joseph Barber, missionary superintendent; Mrs. Fannie McClellan and George Chase, auditors.

HARRISON'S

Where Style, Quality and Economy Meet

Friday and Saturday —
We are Ready Again —
ANOTHER SENSATIONAL SALE
That Will Help Every Man Save Money

MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S
OVERCOATS

Hundreds of Garments at Savings of $10 to $20

No stopping with us—we are ready again with another sensational sale—ready again with new assortments of Garments to help every MAN who wants a NEW OVERCOAT to get the best the market affords and make a substantial saving.

The Greatest Clothing Values in the City

are here ready for your selection. Why waste your time going elsewhere when you know what you want is here waiting for you—and at prices that save you money? HARRISON'S is known throughout New England for the great VALUES it makes possible for MEN at all times—and MAN if you don't know the HARRISON Co. now is the time to get acquainted.

Silk-Lined, Plaid-Back Overcoats

Convertible Collar Overcoats. Raglan Style — **$19.50**

Storm Coats Kimono Style — **$22.50**

Radio Models Form-Fitting Overcoats — **$25.50**

OTHER OVERCOATS up to $65

Men's $100 Fur Lined COATS — Made of Fine ALL WOOL KERSEY SHELL, Pieced Marmot Lining, Electric Seal Collar **$45**

Mens' $15 Sheep Lined COATS — BEAVERIZED LAMB COLLAR; sizes up to 50..... **$9.50**

ULSTERS — REEFERS — FOR MEN — Made with Muff Pockets—Windshield Wristers, Rubber Interlined, at Positive Savings of 25%.

Boys' Sheep Lined Coats

BOYS' $12.50 SHEEP LINED COATS **$7.95**

Heavy Moleskin shell, sheared Sheepskin lining; sizes 8 to 18.

BOYS' $5.00 RUBBER COATS, Sizes 8 to 18 **$3.50**

Unapproachable Values
BOYS' OVERCOATS, SUITS and SHEEP LINED COATS

Boys' $8.50 Chinchilla OVERCOATS **$5.95**

Positively an all-wool, good warm, durable Winter Overcoat, made from the better grade of blue, brown and tan chinchilla with plaid lining. Sizes 3 to 10.

$10.00 BOYS' 2-PANT SUITS **$7**

A value you'll appreciate—Boys' Suits in newest double and single breasted models, beautiful colorings. These suits include two pairs lined knickers. Sizes 8 to 18.

Boys' High Grade OVERCOATS

AT THE GREATEST SAVINGS IN THE CITY

$7.50 $10 $12.50 up to $20

There is no other store that can show you the variety of or make possible the savings HARRISON'S has prepared on Boys' Clothing. We devote a separate store for this department—the largest of its kind in the city. Parents should come here and see for themselves.

$1 Boys' Fairmount BLOUSE WAISTS... **55c**
$1.50 Boys' Corduroy "KNICKERS" at.... **89c**
$5 Boys' Shaker Knit SWEATERS **$3.50**
25c Boys' Triple Toe and Heel HOSE, at... **12c**

IT PAYS TO TRADE AT HARRISON'S

S. H. Harrison Co.
166 CENTRAL STREET

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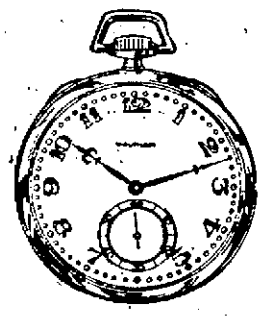
A Real Dependable Gift
"for HIM"



The Best Watch is undoubtedly the one that keeps time most accurately and this quality is inherent in our Dependable Watches. They are beautiful, but they are also timekeepers that any man will cherish for their performance as well as their good looks.

$15.00 and up

Prince-Cotter Co.

The Store That Times the City
104 Merrimack Street

Radiographs

HOME DRUDGERY NO LONGER

Here's another use to which radio manufacturers say a receiving set may be put. It cuts the drudgery out of housework. As an example they show Mrs. Amelia Rader of New York ironing her husband's shirt with that tired feeling gone and, in its place, joy over the entertainment she is supposed to be receiving by wireless.

RADIO XMAS COMING

Dealers and Fans Prepare For Shower of Wireless Gifts This Year

This is going to be a radio Christmas.

For the last six months manufacturers have been preparing for this event and fans have been tuning in on related talks from broadcasting stations throughout the country.

The chief idea behind the feature is commercial. Radio dealers have been stocking up for the Christmas holidays. Manufacturers have been putting out apparatus in greater quantities than ever before. All because they expect a last-minute rush for Christmas gifts in the form of radio sets and parts.

Men who have been following closely the sale of radio material say this winter will show an even greater increase in the number of fans than did last winter. That is because the science has been developed more thoroughly and less trouble or interference is experienced with the new apparatus.

At the same time nearly every radio amateur and novice who has had a receiving set expects a Christmas gift in the form of an additional vacuum tube or what-not that would help increase the efficiency of his reception. And they have prepared for the rush. Even with the addition of various Christmas touches.

Toys also have taken on a radio atmosphere. Kewpies are being designed with radio headsets on their ears. Toy receiving sets are being sold. And there are other forms of radio playthings.

Then, for Christmas eve and Christmas day, the large radio broadcasting stations are preparing special programs. Interest on that day will be centred around the radio receiving set—up in the attic, even, if that is where the fan has to keep it.

SILENT NIGHTS

Radio broadcasting stations are inaugurating the practice of observing one "silent night" each week in various cities. In San Antonio, Tex., for stance, Friday is the night when its local station is silent. This gives the listeners a chance to tune in on more distant stations.

RADIO IN FICTION

Authors are beginning to accept radio as taking a regular part in the doings of people. Soon radio in fiction will become as popular as the automobile and, instead of picking up the telephone or listening at the door, the villain will eavesdrop by wireless.

DRAFT WITHOUT EXEMPTION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Representative Johnson, republican, South Dakota, has introduced a bill giving the president authority in war time to draft the unorganized militia without exemption of men from 21 to 30 on account of industrial occupation.

FRIEND OF LINCOLN DEAD

BELLINGHAM, Washn., Dec. 7.—J. G. Stewart, a neighbor and friend of Abraham Lincoln in Springfield, Ills., died at his home in Hamilton, aged 88 years.

Radio Broadcasts

3 p. m.—1. Mid afternoon news broadcast.
II. Musical program.
6 p. m.—Market report—U. S. bureau of agricultural economics. Brighton live stock market fruits and vegetables market, dairy and produce market. Chicago live stock market. (485 metres.)
6.15 p. m.—Boston police reports. Boston police headquarters. Late news flashes. Early sport news.
9.30 p. m.—Evening program: Concert by the Ideal Mandolin club, Mrs. L. G. Shattuck, director. The club is composed of Mrs. L. G. Shattuck, Mr. Harold Colburn, first mandolins; Miss Doris Grant, Mr. Rufus Choate, second mandolins; Mr. Ernest Steeves, third mandolin.
A Moonlight Frolic ..... Odell
Light Brigade Overture ..... Grune
Hippity Hop ..... Odell
Gibson Beauty ..... Nicomede
Collegisms ..... Odell
The Home Town Band ..... Weidt

STATION WBZ, SPRINGFIELD
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story; produce market report.
7.45 p. m.—News from farm and home.
8 p. m.—Concert program as announced by radiophone.

STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY
2 p. m.—Music.
6 p. m.—Produce market and stock market reports and quotations and news bulletins.
7.45 p. m. Concert program.

STATION KDKA, PITTSBURGH
7 p. m.—News; health talk.
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story.
7.45 p. m.—Summary of the New York stock exchange and other features.
8 p. m.—Concert by the orchestra of Station KDKA.

STATION KYW, CHICAGO
(Central Time)
6.30 p. m.—News; sports and stock market summaries; bedtime story.
8 p. m.—Concert program.
9 p. m.—News, sports and special features, as announced by radiophone.

STATION WJZ, NEWARK
4 p. m.—Closing stock prices; fashion talk.
5.30 p. m.—Closing prices on stocks, bonds, grain, coffee and sugar.
5.45 p. m.—Resume of sporting events.
6 p. m.—Musical program.
7 p. m.—Bedtime story.
8.30 p. m.—Vocal concert.
9.30 p. m.—Musical program by quartet.
10 p. m.—Time signals; program continued.

STATION WNAC, BOSTON
4 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard's Colonial orchestra; selections on the player piano and phonograph.
8.15 p. m.—Musical entertainment by the Amphion club of 75 male voices conducted by Elmer Wilson.

COAL AN OBSTRUCTION

Experts of the United States bureau of mines, testing radio as a means of communication between the pit and the surface, have found that the coal strata were a serious obstruction. Signals were successfully transmitted through 50 feet of coal, however. By using higher wave lengths, the experts believe, they may be able to penetrate even farther.

APPLAUSE BY LETTER

One feature of radio broadcasting to which the actors are slow in becoming accustomed is the applause—or lack of it. It is a queer sensation to do your bit at the microphone only to be answered by a strange silence. The applause, however, does come in—by mail, and from those listeners living near enough, by telephone.

No more expensive than ordinary brands

WHILE your grocer asks you to pay no more for Borden's Evaporated Milk than for other standard kinds, he sometimes pays more himself. The extra care taken to safeguard this brand of milk makes it actually cost more to produce it.

In Borden's Evaporated Milk, you get pure country milk with the cream left in. It is entirely pure, and of high nutritive value. Ask your grocer for Borden's.

THE BORDEN COMPANY
Borden Building New York

Makers also of Borden's Eagle Brand Milk, Borden's Malted Milk and Borden's Confectionery

Borden's
Evaporated Milk

Chinese and Oriental Baskets
For sewing or decorative purposes. Black, blue, rose, brown, trimmed with beads, silk, rings, tassels and Chinese money. Excellent Christmas gifts, 39¢ to $1.29

THE GAGNON COMPANY
HOME OF THE GREATEST VALUES

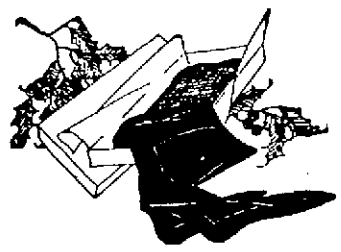
White and Colored Stationery
In fancy gift boxes. Two and three quires. Some boxes have two or three colors in box.
39¢, 49¢, 59¢
Street Floor

IN SHOPPING EARLY YOU HELP VERY MUCH

AN UNUSUAL CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
Women's and Misses'
Civet Cat Coats
Only $100
Made of selected skins, 40 inches long. New sleeve effects, with windshields, large shawl collars, heavy linings of fancy silk. All round belts. A truly remarkable fur coat value.

Our Latest Lot Which Arrived Only Yesterday. Selling at Less Than January Prices
Velvet, Canton Crepe, Poiret Twill Dresses
Special $15 Values to $35
Navy, brown, black, made in up-to-the-minute styles. Widely varied lot of models, some plain, some with a little trimming, others elaborately trimmed. Sizes 16 to 46.

A New Lot of Sample Winter Coats
FOR WOMEN AND MISSES
At a Saving of 1-3 Off Regular Prices
Handsome modish affairs in all the popular soft pile materials, in navy, sorrento, black, brown. Plain or trimmed with different kinds of furs. Values you'd look for at the clearance period are ready now.
$15.98 to $79.50
Second Floor



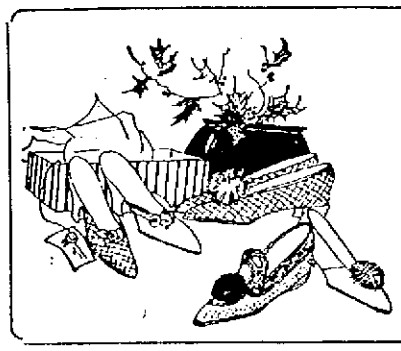
Just in Time for Christmas Giving Come
THREE EXTRA FINE VALUES IN HOSIERY
Extra Heavy Ingrain Silk Hose, full fashioned, with reinforced heels and toes, fancy purple striped tops. Black only. Women's sizes. Special..... $2.69
Pure Thread Silk Hose, for women, 12 strand silk, full fashioned, with double feet, silk lisle garter tops. Also ingrain silk hose with purple tops. All sizes $1.95
Women's Silk Hose, pure thread silk, full fashioned, double heels, soles, toes. Silk lisle garter tops. All sizes. Special, $1.65
Street Floor

Three Excellent Specials In
Millinery
Colorful New Taffeta Hats, in the chic little shapes that look so smart with fur collared coats. $7.95 values. Special $5
A Choice Selection of Velvet Hats, mostly dark colors, brightened with colored trimmings, both new and novel. $5 values. Special $3.95
Tailored and Dress Hats, of Lyons and panne velvets, mostly black. Youthful and matron styles. $3.95 values. Special..... $1.75
Street Floor

The Perfect Gift
A Silk Umbrella
One never can have too many umbrellas and in these days of glorious colors, everyone hopes to get one for Christmas.
Women's and Misses' Colored Silk Umbrellas, red, green, purple, brown, black, stitched or tape edge, with handsome handles, ring or Ritz style, of leather, ivory, amber, wood, tips to match.....$4.50, $5, $5.50 $6.50 to $13.50
Umbrellas, of gloria or fine cotton taffeta, black only, with plain leather or ivory handles, $2 to $5
Children's Colored Umbrellas, of silk or cotton taffeta, black, green, red, navy, with fancy white ivory handles, tips to match, $1 to $4
Men's Umbrellas, of union silk or cotton taffeta, black only, with large walking-stick handles .....$2 to $6
Street Floor

A Real Nice Gift for Santa Claus' Favorites
CHILDREN'S
Pongee Silk Rompers and Suits
Made in the daintiest styles, generously trimmed with hand embroidery and smocking. Sizes 1 to 4 yrs., $5.98 to $7.98
Second Floor

600 PAIRS MEN'S SAMPLE HOSE
Of pure worsted or silk and wool. Full fashioned and seamless, with or without silk clocking on sides. All the new winter colors. All sizes; $2 value. Special 98c
Street Floor



Be Sure That SLIPPERS Are on Your Christmas List
4000 Pairs of New Christmas Slippers
FOR MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN
All colors and styles, in felt and leather, plain or trimmed. Padded or leather soles, some with rubber heels..... 98c

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO VISIT OUR
New Toy Dept.
Just a short flight down from the main floor, you'll be greeted with the most wonderful collection of playthings. All new, marvelous inventions from Santa Claus' workshop that bring joy to the hearts of all good little boys and girls.

Our Toy Prices Are the Lowest in Lowell
BUILDING BLOCKS
GAMES, ANIMALS
MECHANICAL TOYS
MUSICAL TOPS
TELEPHONES
DOLL FURNITURE
25c to $18
AUTOMOBILES
LAUNDRY SETS
PIANOS
SEWING MACHINES
CARTS, DESKS
KITCHEN CABINETS
BANKS, CLOWNS

NEW
Buy Your Boy or Girl
An Instructive Set of
CHEMECRAFT
A set containing 100 or more instructive but harmless chemical experiments. This would make an educating Christmas gift.
75c to $2.50

See Our Beautiful Selection of Dolls on the Street Floor
French Dolls, Talking Dolls, Baby Dolls, Dressed Dolls
All Sizes, With Dark or Light Hair
25c to $7.98

NEW
A Gift For Children Artistically Inclined
A new and novel way of making pictures. All the necessary things in a neat box. Hours of fun for little folks, and even the bigger folks will enjoy this new game, too.
50c to $2

FIRE DRIVES OCCUPANTS FROM LODGING HOUSE

Occupants of the lodging house numbered 49 Kirk street and conducted by George Holl were driven out of their rooms by fire early this morning. There was no great necessity for the lodgers leaving the building as the fire was in an ell in the rear, but they feared the fire might reach them and a hasty exit was made as soon as the alarm was given.

The fire, which is claimed to have been the result of the thawing out of frozen pipes last evening, was discovered shortly before 3 o'clock this morning and an alarm was sent in from box 26. Evidently the party who sounded the alarm had his mind on the Kearney square fire box, for he passed two other boxes on his way to it.

When the firemen reached the premises the flames had worked their way from a partition on the street floor to the roof and owing to the nature of the roof, which consisted of wooden shingles covered with slate, the firemen were considerably handicapped in reaching the fire. A portion of the roof was finally ripped off and several lines of hose poured a continuous stream of water on the fire and succeeded in confining it to the ell. The damage, it is said, will be about $1500.

At 7.48 o'clock there was a telephone alarm for a slight blaze in an automobile owned by J. Smith and located at 44 Robbins street.

At 10.53 o'clock a telephone alarm was sent for fire in a shed on the Perkins street dump. The shed was burned to the ground, but the damage was not great.

STRIKE OF 5000 HARD COAL MINERS

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 7.—The strike of approximately 500 anthracite mine workers at Plymouth and Larkville, employed by the Hudson Coal Co. remains deadlocked.

The strike started last Tuesday as a result of a dispute over yardage prices and other working conditions in one of six collieries. The company officials said they would not treat with the strikers until they returned to work.

"You Can Do It Better With Gas"

ZERO WEATHER

Makes the Home Decidedly Uncomfortable

Let us install

The HUMPHREY Radiantfire

It Is a Wonderful Room Heater.

Phone 349

And a salesman will call to demonstrate.

"You Can Do It Better With Gas"

$500,000 to Push War Fraud Cases

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Five million dollars, as the second treaty payment to the government of Colombia, and half a million dollars for the further prosecution of war fraud cases, are among the items in the 1923 supply bill for the departments of state and justice, including the judiciary, reported to the house today by Chairman Madden of the appropriations committee. The total carried in the bill is $33,188,151, an increase of $4,511,230 over last year, but $515,142 below the budget bureau estimate. The amount recommended for the department of justice in war fraud prosecution would bring the total appropriated for that purpose up to $1,000,000 as $500,000 was provided recently by congress in a special act.

7,000,000 Face Death From Starvation

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Four central distributing and public feeding stations have been established in Russia by the papal relief mission which, it was announced today by the National Catholic Welfare Council, has purchased foodstuffs sufficient to feed 40,000 children for two months. Reports from representatives of the mission indicate, it was said, that 7,000,000 Russians face death from starvation this winter.

R. R. Not Responsible For Lost Articles

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Railroads are justified in refusing to pay damages for jewelry lost or stolen from the baggage of travelers, the Interstate Commerce commission held today. The commission held that all railroads had in effect a regulation refusing to accept responsibility for money, jewelry and negotiable papers when inclosed in baggage and that this rule was reasonable.

Jury Disagrees on Sutphin Case

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The jury which tried Harry Sutphin, editor of the Queensboro Bulletin of Jamaica, L. I., charged with manslaughter for killing his friend, William Bierman, failed to agree and was discharged today. Sutphin testified he shot Biermann in self-defense.

$60,000 Loss by Fire at Gardiner, Me.

GARDINER, Me., Dec. 7.—Damage estimated at $60,000 was caused by a fire in the opera house today. The loss was sustained by the owners of the building, by the Russell Amusement Co. which occupied it as a motion picture theatre, and S. S. Smith & Co., dry goods dealers. The stock in the store was damaged mostly by water and smoke.

MUST LEAVE TURKEY

Consulates and Post Offices of Powers at War With Turkey Must Get Out

ANGORA, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—The Turkish Nationalist government has decided that it cannot accept the continuance in Turkey of the consulates or post offices of any power at war with Turkey.

Greece is still at war with Turkey and technically the entente powers are still in a state of war with the Turkish government. A treaty making peace between Turkey and the entente was signed at Sevres in 1920, but it has never been ratified. The United States never declared war upon Turkey.

HELD FOR MURDER OF MRS. BECKER

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Abraham Becker and Reuben Norkin, accused jointly of murdering Becker's wife and burying her alive in a lime-filled pit, today pleaded not guilty in Bronx county court.

Judge Gibbs set Becker's trial for next Monday and Norkin's a week later. Assistant District Attorney Cohn predicted that Becker would eat his Christmas dinner in the deathhouse at Sing Sing.

HIGH FREIGHT RATES HIT FARMERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Farmers should produce more of their own foodstuffs and buy less that must be brought to them by railroads, according to a survey of opinion among 25,000 farmers made public today by the department of agriculture. Nearly 30 per cent. of the food consumed by farmers and their families generally is not grown by them or in their immediate vicinity, it was shown, whereas it was estimated that 79 per cent. of their needs could be produced locally.

High freight rates, it was explained, tend to reduce the prices farmers receive for their products and increase the cost to them of the things they buy from outside localities.

GOV. PARKER URGES WAR ON KU KLUX KLAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Governor John M. Parker, of Louisiana, today asked the national convention of insurance commissioners to use the influence of their companies "in aiding red-blooded Americans to wage war on the Ku Klux Klan."

"In this critical day of the nation and states," said Governor Parker, who recently conferred with the federal authorities, regarding Klan activities, "you have power to preach real Americanism which will never let the invisible governments rising up on every hand, including the Klan, rise superior to the government and nation."

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE

New President Presides for First Time at Directors' Meeting

Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's church, and recently elected president of the Lowell Social Service league, presided for the first time at a regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of that organization in the chamber of commerce headquarters yesterday afternoon. Miss Alice M. Bell, secretary, read an interesting report of the happenings at the state conference of welfare workers, held early this month in Greenfield, Mass., and emphasized the study made by the department of public welfare concerning family budgets. During the month of November, Miss Bell's report showed that fuel had been obtained and delivered to many families where sickness prevailed and that employment had been secured for 21 persons in dire circumstances. Hospital treatment was afforded several of the poor

REV. APPLETON GRANNIS

and needy who would otherwise be unable to secure proper medical treatment or advice. Another feature of the hospital work of the league during the month was the furnishing of transportation of clinics of children and elders incapacitated by illness. The league also co-operated with 12 organizations in this city and six out-of-town organizations in arranging settlements of family troubles.

As the winter advances the work of the Social Service league correspondingly increases and the directors again request the co-operation of the public in meeting the many needs of the organization. The clothing sent in recently has been put to good use and more is needed, especially for children of school age. It is only through the kindness of benevolent individuals and societies that the league is able to endure. At Thanksgiving, the league was called upon to administer to several destitute families and because of the generosity of local benefactors, the work was done satisfactorily.

The following committees were appointed at the conclusion of Miss Bell's report: Finance: Donald Cameron, Allen Parker, Chester Runels, Mrs. Louis Olney, Dudley L. Page and Harry Pollard.

Executive: Mrs. John K. Whittier, Mrs. Joseph Nesmith, W. N. Goodell and Charles H. Hobson.

Auditing: Arthur T. Safford, Mrs. Alma Sturgess and Robert F. Marden. Case committee: Miss Harriet Coburn, Dr. H. E. Davis, Mrs. C. R. Prichard, Miss Helen Tyler, Mrs. Arthur C. McGiffert and Edward J. Cooney.

All women members of the board of directors will serve as an advisory committee.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry Custer Dawson and Mrs. Grace Bachelder Naylor were married yesterday afternoon at the parsonage of the Graniteville M.E. church in Westford by Rev. William E. Anderson. The couple will make their home in North Tewksbury.

Carr—Morrill

The marriage of Mr. Richard B. Carr of this city and Miss Gertrude V. Morrill of North Chelmsford took place Nov. 29 at St. Anthony's rectory, Allston, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Nicholas Murphy. The best man was Mr. John Carr, a brother of the bridegroom, while the bridesmaid was Miss Bertha E. Morrill of Dorchester. The couple will make their home in Allston.

TWO IJNURED BY AUTOMOBILES

Mrs. Hiram Merrill of 2 Osgood street was slightly injured yesterday afternoon when she was struck by an automobile in Central street. The machine was being operated by Harry G. Lawson of 1501 Gorham street, who took the woman to her home.

Francis Duprez, aged 5 years, was struck by an automobile at the junction of School street and Broadway yesterday afternoon and sustained slight injuries, which were treated at the Lowell Corporation hospital. The driver of the machine was John J. Devlin of 307 Thorndike street.

"I Cured My Rupture"

Thus said Capt. Collings After Doctors Said "Operation the Only Hope."

His Discovery and Book Sent Free

Capt. Collings sustained a bad double rupture that soon kept him bedridden for years. He tried doctor after doctor and truss after truss. No results! Finally, he was assured that he must submit to operation. He did not. He cured himself instead.

A one week's free trial of Capt. Collings' great discovery is mailed free to all people who are ruptured. If you will send the coupon below you can test it on your own case. This costs you nothing and you are sure to be benefited. So mail the coupon now.

FREE TREATMENT COUPON

Capt. W. A. Collings, Inc.
Box 249-H, Watertown, N. Y.:

Please send me One Week's Test Treatment for Rupture. This test to be FREE. I will commence using it at once.

Name .....
Address .....
Town ..... State .....

CASE IS SETTLED OUT OF COURT

A case which has caused more or less interest in local real estate circles, and which was scheduled for trial in the superior court today was settled a few minutes before it was due to be called. It was an action of contract in which Edward Smith, a local real estate dealer, sought to recover, from the present owners of the Associate building, a commission, amounting to approximately $5000, for the alleged transfer of the property to Lawrence interests some few months ago. Ex-Mayor John P. Kane of Lawrence represented the defendant and Atty. Patrick J. Reynolds represented Mr. Smith. The amount of the settlement was not made public.

IF YOU NEED A MEDICINE YOU SHOULD HAVE THE BEST

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfil the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and verified testimony of thousands who have used the preparation the success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact, so many people claim, that it fulfils almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder ailments, corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-root by Parcels Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

WAGE INCREASES FOR SHOP MEN

30,000 Maintenance of Way Men of Penn. R. R. Granted Raise Retroactive to Nov. 1

Increases Total $1,800,000—Range From One Cent an Hour to Five Cents

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Wage increases totalling approximately $1,800,000 annually for 30,000 maintenance of way employes of the Pennsylvania railroad system have been granted, John G. Rogers, vice president of the Northwestern Region of the Pennsylvania announced today.

The increases ranged from one cent an hour for carpenters, painters and masons' helpers, to five cents an hour for assistant bridge and building foremen and will be retroactive to November 1.

LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Sentences Revoked and Men Are Sent to House of Correction

Three suspended sentences were revoked and a like number of men ordered to the house of correction during this morning's session of the district court with Judge Pickman on the bench. Patrick Bordeleau pleaded not guilty to drunkenness, was found guilty and a former sentence of four months to the house of correction was revoked.

George H. Cummings, brought in for non-support, and who was under a suspended sentence of three months had the sentence revoked. Just before court adjourned Cummings said he thought he would be able to fulfill the obligations previously imposed upon him by the court and the case was continued until tomorrow to give him the opportunity of so doing.

Philip Jalbert was sentenced to the house of correction for non-support. He was brought in on a capias and found guilty of drunkenness. He was under a suspended sentence of three months.

Daniel O'Conor of Chelmsford was fined $15 after pleading guilty to the operation of a motor vehicle without a license. The offence was committed on Andover street on October 9.

George Lafamme appeared charged with threatening. His case was continued to December 12 at the request of his counsel.

Peter Abusciwicz, charged with illegal sale and illegal keeping, had his case continued to December 14.

BLOOD SO THIN LIPS WERE PURPLE

Mrs. Peabody Says That Tonic Treatment Restored Her Health and Strength

Stomach trouble is often caused by thin blood but in such cases the cause is not always recognized. In cases of indigestion when there is pallor of the cheeks and lips it is well to tone up the blood before giving way to fear of organic stomach trouble.

"My blood was very thin," says Mrs. Dora A. Peabody, of No. 1234 Elm street, Manchester, N. H., "and my lips were purple. My stomach was upset and everything I ate distressed me. I had a heavy feeling like lead in my stomach. My heart would beat so fast that I got afraid. I had no appetite, lost strength and was so nervous that it seemed I would fly to pieces. Sleep did not rest me and I was tired all the time.

"Nothing helped me until I read about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and gave them a trial. As I used these pills my blood got richer and I had a better color, I gained strength right along and my whole system seemed to build up. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a wonderful remedy and I do not think I would be alive but for them. This statement is absolutely true and I hope it will help others."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are useful in anemia or thin blood, nervousness and its more aggravated forms of sick headache, neuralgia, sciatica and neuritis. They give new strength and vigor and if you need this tonic you should get a 60-cent box from your nearest druggist today and begin the treatment.

Write to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the helpful booklet, "Building Up the Blood." It costs you nothing.—Adv.

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Come early and supply your shoe needs for the coming winter at the lowest prices ever heard of for standard trade mark shoes of known quality and reputation.

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Ladies' $2 Ribbon Trimmed COMFORT SLIPPERS ALL COLORS CUSHION SOLE & HEELS $1

LADIES' STYLISH Dr. Whitcomb's CUSHION SOLE Comfort Shoes and Oxfords

This beautiful, Dressy comfort shoe, made over Dr. Whitcomb's famous prescription last of soft, pliable black kid-skin leather; flexible sewed soles, rubber heels; they fit the foot all over without binding or pinching. Choice of high, low or medium heels.

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A cushion for your feet, made of selected vici kid and gun metal calf skin, oak tanned flexible soles with rubber heels. Broad or medium toe. Goodyear welt. Former price $10, Sale Price $4.98

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Uppers of soft black calf, full double soles, riveted steel shank. Arch Support built in. They make walking or standing a pleasure.

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Finest selected leather, heavy soles, broad last, closed tongue.
SALE PRICE $3.45

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Boys' and Girls' $5.00 Shoes $2.98

Black, Tan Brown. Broad or Medium toes. High cut and regular cut. All sizes for Boys, Girls and Children

ALL STYLES SALE PRICE $2.98

$2.98

Children's Felt "Pussy" Slippers with cuffs. All colors. Sale Price $1

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Waterproof High Cut Shoes Men's $10 Blizzard King Storm and Sporting Boots $5.00

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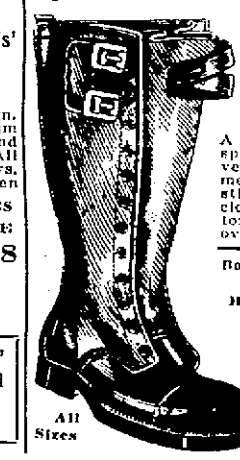
Dark chrome tan leather, double soles, bellows tongue, 2 straps and buckles.



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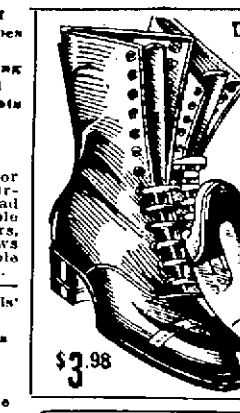

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Police, Fire and Postman Special Service Shoes

Every Pair Warranted Six Months. $10 Value $5.95

The most durable shoe for outdoor men who want comfort and good looks. Leather-lined throughout. Two full soles of selected oak leather. Black gun metal calf uppers. Broad toe.

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Three styles, broad or medium toes, blucher or lace style, $6 and $7 value. Sale price, tan or black

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Take elevator to save money

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STARTS TODAY

CLOTH COATS

$27.50 Cloth Coats $19.75
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Plain or fur trimmed.
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Fur trimmed.

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All Evening Gowns to be closed out at less than cost.
$47.50 Evening Gowns, for $27.50
$60.00 Evening Gowns, for $39.50
$70.00 Evening Gowns, for $49.50

FUR COATS

At reduced prices.
$350.00 Raccoon Coats, for $298.00
$347.00 Hudson Seal Coats, for $297.00
$345.00 Hudson Seal Coats, for $289.00
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FOREIGN BUYING COMBINE

Dry goods merchants everywhere are discussing the interesting announcement made Wednesday in Boston that three large department stores and several New York stores where merchandise is sold at retail on large scales, have combined to form a new foreign buying organization with an annual purchasing power of approximately $3,000,000. It is understood that the new organization has been made for the double purpose of effecting economies in foreign purchases and to obtain first-hand information of style tendencies and the proper and prompt adaption of them to the needs of the women of America.

It is planned to open principal offices in Paris, London and Berlin, with branch offices in Brussels, Frankfort, Vienna and as many other points as will be required to cover properly the scouting, purchasing and forwarding of goods from the various foreign trade centres to the member stores of the organization.

The idea appears to be brand new in some respects, for it has not always been the custom for active competitors in great business to "amalgamate" when out buying merchandise for different organizations that conduct competitive stores.

The result of this endeavor to increase foreign buying power and also obtain goods at possibly a good deal less money considering the plans under way for buying in large lots and securing special shipping rates of goods to America, will be watched with interest by all who patronize American marts of trade and who may profit considerably by this new arrangement of foreign buying.

The question arises as to whether such organizations can purchase manufactured products cheaper than in this country, in spite of the high tariff duties. The experiment will be watched with keen interest.

HOT FIGHT IN HAVERHILL

Occasionally, it does a city a great deal of good to have a hot political fight on a real live or all-absorbing issue. Here is the city of Haverhill, for example, a municipality very much like Lowell. The city election was held there on Tuesday and in the mayoralty contest there was such an interest aroused that invalids were taken from their beds to vote.

It all arose from the declaration of certain shoeworkers' unions in favor of the re-election of Mayor Flanders, who is a pronounced socialist. Flanders was opposed by Dr. William D. McFee, who had the endorsement of the Citizens' Committee, which had the backing of the local shoe manufacturers. This was one of the rare cases in which labor unions came out openly in favor of a particular candidate. The declaration of the unions in favor of Flanders was a challenge to the anti-socialistic elements of the community and most of the latter joined in scoring a signal victory for McFee. The doctor won by a majority of 2,341 over Mayor Flanders, and the total vote of 15,967 was but 34 short of the total registration of 16,001.

Seldom, if ever in this commonwealth, has any election shown such a close approach to polling every registered vote. There is today great rejoicing among the friends of the successful candidate, although his personality was not the thing that stirred the citizens to go to the polls in practically their full strength. It was the fear of having the city turned over to a socialistic regime with Mayor Flanders as the head. The labor unions, it seems, made a mistake by espousing the cause of Flanders and appealing to labor to stand for his election. Still they were entirely within their rights and they found out just what their political strength is in the city of Haverhill.

THE BALUCHITHERIUM

And now the baluchitherium is to be resurrected in skeleton form. It resembles a giant pig said to have existed in Mongolia 2,000,000 years ago. The skull of this animal is en route to San Francisco. When excavating commissions go to the Orient, they must bring back something even if it be nothing more sacred than the jaw blade of an ass. But in the present instance we are assured that there is no faking and no deception. The curator of vertebral palaeontology at New York says parts of the skeleton of this extinct animal have been found in India, but could not be classified without the skull. Now that the skull has been found, the baluchitherium or animal of Baluchistan can be properly classed. It seems to be a species of rhinoceros with feet like an elephant. It may be allied to the megatherium, an extinct genus of animals found chiefly in South America. The best known species was of gigantic size, exceeding in bulkiness any known species except the elephant. The feet of the megatherium seemed to have a large surface or section on the ground somewhat like the hind feet of a rabbit; but in this it differs from the baluchitherium now unearthed in Mongolia.

IMPROVING THE SERVICE

We note the numerous improvements recently made in local equipment of the Eastern Street Railway division for carrying on public transportation of patrons in and outside the city. The renewed and enlarged equipment installed at the car houses for battling with snow storms and the like, indicates better conditions for the street railway lines hereabouts.

Considerable new track work, covering needed repairs and new irons as well as better roadbeds, has been done this season, thanks to an energetic management convinced, apparently, that the work must be done and might as well be done now as next year. All of the good work performed this season has been highly essential to a successful continuation and betterment of the railway service, and the patrons of the road will, of course, reap some of the benefits, or ought to. It is presumed the expense of recent repairs will be charged against the Lowell district and, therefore, help to further postpone the time when the nickel fare will be adopted.

THE ACTUAL ORDEAL

Daily you pass hundreds of strange faces. Behind those facial masks, thinking of some sort is going on constantly. What would you give to be able to read their thoughts? Would you want your own read?

Sometimes, in a flash, you learn what is stewing inside one individual head. As, for instance, this classified ad in the "agony column" of the London Times: "A mother of daughters thanks every mother who gave or lent a son to England, 1914 to 1918."

Apparently she is unhappy because she has not had a son to give. It is a spartan-like spirit; and if she had several boys, she would not give them to be sacrificed in war any more readily than other mothers.

Many poor men say that if they had as much money as Rockefeller, they would deal it out with a lavish hand. Perhaps they would and possibly they would not. They do not know what they would do under such conditions. It is only under the test that we learn our actual qualities whether base or magnanimous.

COLBY HEROES

Great sympathy is expressed for the three Colby students who gave their lives to save three score of fraternity brothers in a fire which destroyed a section of the old North college at Waterville, Me., on Monday. All four were of the type known as working students. They were paying their way through college, by doing such work as would enable them to earn their expenses. Two of them had nearly finished their college course and had been planning what they should do after graduating. It was a sad occurrence and another startling commentary upon the uncertainties of life.

THE HANGMAN

A night watchman in Trenton, N. J., is soliciting jobs as an executioner at a cut-rate price. His wife, interviewed about his ambition, says he is offering to send the death current through the electric chair and its occupant, as low as $175 a job.

"If I don't do it, somebody else will," he says.

There are some jobs that, if handled properly, cannot pay too much money. A million a year would be cheap for a man willing to be experimented on for the benefit of medical science.

And there are other jobs that should pay so little that no one would take them. An executioner, for instance. Still it might be impossible. Plenty of men will kill for $5 a head.

HEATING THE HOME

With coal short, wood is coming back as an important fuel. With the demand developed, however, the price in most communities instantly rises to the coal level.

This will help you in buying: What counts is actual heat—thermal units. A pound of dry hard wood gives 7000 to 9000 heat units, a pound of coal 12,000 to 16,000. To know how much heat you're really getting, you'll have to figure out on the basis of weight and fuel consumed.

SUE BILL DEFEATED

It seems rather strange that the fate of the "Sue bill," one of the referenda should not have been known sooner. The bill was vigorously opposed by labor organizations and its adoption was indicated by the early returns; but now it appears that it was carried by a majority of less than a thousand, the figures being: Yes, 300,250; No, 301,205; majority against, 945.

BURNING CATHOLIC BUILDINGS

It is a rather serious situation that has arisen in Canada in which it appears that no less than five destructive fires of incendiary origin have occurred in Catholic institutions in the Dominion within the last few weeks. In one of these fires at Winnipeg on Nov. 25, ten students lost their lives. The dental school of the University of Montreal was damaged twice last month and Juvenant college was practically destroyed in a blaze that devastated the village of Tarrebonne on Dec. 1.

It is difficult to conceive the degree of fiendish hatred or malice that would prompt actions of this kind, resulting in the destruction of institutions that required generations of effort by whole communities to build up. It is intimated that such of these fires as have been plainly of incendiary origin have been the work of the Ku Klux Klan. The charge is denied, however, by Klan officials. It may be the work of a crazy fanatic.

Professor Hutchinson of Converse college suggests that Thanksgiving and Armistice day should be merged into a single holiday. It would not be a bad idea as both fall within the same month and are usually not more than two weeks apart. The observance of each might help the other. If the memories of both were combined in a single observance, then the new holiday would be much better than is either at the present time.

Mayor Cousens of Detroit made a good chief executive, but he may make but a second rate senator.

SEEN AND HEARD

Star traveling 2,500,000 miles an hour has been discovered. It is almost as fast as Christmas is coming.

Miss Mina Horne is a promising grand opera singer and not a trombonist as you would expect.

A new movie hero not only acts as if he thought he was a French count but really is a French count.

This Speaker of the Cleveland ball team caught a calf and tied it in 21 seconds. It is not known what position the calf will play.

Horatio N. Douglas of Bath, Me., decided that his grass needed the lawn mower, and so early one morning he did his July stunt in December, much to the surprise of his neighbors.

A California orange orchard has a heating plant with pipes radiating in every direction. In case of a frost while the fruit is on the trees, the whole orchard is heated.

In Spain a woman can go nowhere unaccompanied by her servant. If she goes out to tea in full daylight she must wait for the servant to fetch her home. If she goes to town to visit a dentist, she must never move without her servant and never go near any kind of amusement.

The Poor Heathen

Mrs. Smith—John, whatever made you put that half dollar in the plate? Mr. Smith—O, that was all right, my dear. The collection was for the heathen, and you don't think those fellows are going to tell the difference between that and a good one, do you?

His Loud Voice

"What good did it do you to empty your shotgun at that aviator? You couldn't possibly hit him?" "Well," replied the irate farmer, "I'm gettin' tired of them fellers flyin' low over my property. He couldn't hear me cuss. What other way did I have to express my sentiments?"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Gomper's Favorite

Samuel Gompers' favorite labor story is of Joe Gillingovitch. Joe was busily engaged smoking and watching a large building operation when the boss came up to him and said, "Want a job?" Leisurely removing his pipe, Joe said: "I can only work in the mornings." "Why can't you work afternoons?" suspiciously demanded the boss. "In the afternoons," Joe unblushingly explained, "I have to carry a banner in the unemployed parade."

Figures Misleading

The visitor was inspecting the golf course. "Beautiful links you have here," he said to the secretary, "considering they have been in use so long." "So long!" exclaimed the secretary, surprised. "Why, they've only been open a couple of years." It was the visitor's turn to be surprised. "A couple of years! Why, I understood those links were at least 37 years old." "Oh, no; not at all! Who ever told you that?" "Well, no one told me. But I heard one of your members say this morning that he had been round in '85."

Legal Verbiage

A lawyer thus illustrates the language of his craft: "If a man were to give another an orange, he would simply say, 'Have an orange.' But when the transaction is entrusted to a lawyer to be put in writing, he adopts this form: 'I hereby give and convey to you, all and singular, my estate and interest, rights, title, claim and advantages of and in said orange, together with all its rind, juice, pulp, pips, and all rights and advantages therein, with full power to bite, cut, suck, and otherwise eat the same or give the same away, with or without the rind, skin, juice, pulp or pips, anything hereinbefore and hereinafter or in any other deed or deeds, instrument or instruments of whatever nature or kind whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.' And then another lawyer comes and takes it away from you."

"Nostalgia"

I long to go home, where the alders are turning,
And sharp is the tang of the frost in the air.
The grey goose that flew to the north is returning,
And the crafty old fox hunts far from the lair.
The hues of the autumn are changing and shading,
To dun in the hollows and blue on the height,
And the far spreading forest, unchanged and unfading,
Bulks black to the stars in the glittering night.

I dream of the trail over hillock and hollow,
The brown breasted mountains, the canons obscure,
The flashing bright river the breezes that follow,
The breath of the wilderness, fragrant and pure.

Tonight, when the moon rises solemn and gleaming,
Unseen, 'til the ragged black sky fire she clears,
I'll set my face northward, and dreaming, still dreaming,
Fare forth to that happiness, lost in the years.
May a great wind be sighing, the river replying
With thunderous voice from the cataract's foam,
And may the grey clouds o'er the pinnacles flying,
With the first swirl of snow flakes, welcome me home!

—GEORGE S. O'NEIL in "Contemporary Verse" for October.

LADIES' AUXILIARY OF THE A. O. H.

At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A.O.H. Tuesday night, the following officers were elected: President, Catherine Gaffney; vice president, Mrs. Annie Dwyer; financial secretary, Mrs. Catherine Gorgin; recording secretary, Mrs. William Devereaux; treasurer, Mrs. Maria O'Connell; sentinel, Mrs. Mary Palfrey; mistress-at-arms, Jennie Flanagan; physician, Dr. Loughran; spiritual director, Rev. D. J. Kelcher, Ph. D.; sick committee, Catherine Roarke, Elizabeth Gulighan, Bridget Donahue; finance committee, Nora Sheridan, Mary McGowan, Bridget Leonard; standing committee, Margaret Barry, Mary Lee, Annie O'Grady, Annie Quinn, Margaret Parker; employment committee, Annie Connolly, Mary Quinn, Maria Moran; entertainment and literary committee, Mrs. Catherine Kinney, Maria Markham, Mary Shea, Jessie Higgins and Marguerite Grady.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

In electing George (Pete) Sheehan to the leadership of the high school football team for the season of 1923, the members of the squad made what many consider the best possible selection. It will be recalled that Sheehan was severely injured in the game with Concord, N. H., high early in the season and was forced to abandon the sport for the remainder of the year. Because of his spectacular playing, his willingness to represent the school and his unfortunate injury, the athletic authorities this year awarded him the coveted "L" and there are few who will say that he did not deserve it. He has played a halfback position on the squad for the past three years and was the mainstay of the team up to the time of his enforced layoff. Sheehan is also captain of this year's track team and shines in track and field events as he did on the gridiron. Opinion is practically unanimous that with Sheehan's co-operation and leadership, Coach Liston and the Lowell high team will be heard from in a winning light in 1923.

Lowell commuters to Boston who are accustomed to returning to the home fires on the 5 o'clock afternoon train were delayed more than an hour Tuesday evening, I am told, when the big "36" engine became temporarily disabled near East Billerica. As a result, the information department at the local B. & M. depot was kept busy answering calls from anxious parents as to the delay in their sons' and daughters' arrival for supper. If it were not for the proximity to the big Billerica carshops at the time of the breakdown, the 5 o'clock would probably have reached Lowell at a much later hour.

The annual minstrel show of Lowell council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, will this year be held in the Memorial Auditorium and those in charge are now busy making arrangements for the big affair. Since time immemorial the Knights have borne, with a fine sense of propriety, a splendid reputation for things altruistic, and it is in this sense and with a becoming fitness for the doing of that which is praiseworthy, that the minstrel show for the K. of C. guild is to be held. It is obvious to the most passive member that if the guild, under the energetic supervision of Rev. James F. Lynch, is to function with any degree of success this coming year, that the net proceeds of the show must necessarily reach goodly proportions. It has been agreed to hold the show in the Auditorium, a place splendidly adapted and capacious enough to suit the most enthusiastic devotee of large crowds, and the worthiness of the cause, will no doubt prompt the public to respond to the appeal by being present and thus assisting the project financially.

When Rev. Francis L. Keenan was transferred from St. Patrick's church, this city, to St. John's seminary, Brighton, older members of the C.Y.M.L. felt that, with his departure, the well known Lyceum would fade into oblivion. Fr. Keenan had been spiritual director of the C.Y.M.L. since his coming to Lowell and had placed it on a high standard socially and athletically. And then came Rev. Thos. J. McDonough to direct the club's destinies. Since assuming his official capacity, Fr. McDonough has overwhelmingly discouraged pessimism among the members and has proved a most worthy successor to Fr. Keenan. The new director is vitally interested in athletics and is doing everything possible to have the C.Y.M.L. represented on the basketball court with a fast amateur team. In this he has the co-operation of every member of the lyceum, all of whom are now working hard, not only for the organization they represent, but for Fr. McDonough, that he may be as proud of their achievements as they are of him.

There are law and dental schools, medical, surgical and osteopath colleges, technical schools, schools of manual arts, electrical schools and automobile schools and now comes the latest announcement of the opening in January of the National College of Baseball. The new school was organized by such notables of the national pastime as Frank Chance, old Chicago Cub first baseman and probably the premier initial sacker of all time; Sam Crawford, star Detroit batsman of yesteryear, and several others equally as prominent on the diamond in the days of old. The idea of the new school is to develop potential stars and place them in the leagues to follow up their profession in the best possible manner. How many candidates will Lowell contribute?

ANNUAL FAIR AT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's M. E. church conducted its annual fair in the church vestry last evening and the affair was a big success. The decorations were beautiful, the evening's program was excellent and the various booths and tables where good things were on sale, did a thriving business.

Between the hours of 5.30 and 8 an appetizing supper was served, over 200 participating in the festivities. The meal was given under the direction of the Men's club with the following in charge: Dr. E. A. Kent, general manager; Elmore Dean, chief; Ernest Mountain, assistant chef; Abel R. Campbell, chief waiter and Lawrence B. Jordan, treasurer. In the evening concert numbers were given by an orchestra.

The tables and those in charge were as follows:

Candy table: E.A.D. club; food table, the classes of Miss Cairns and Mrs. Charles Drew; domestic table, Perry Bible class; gift shop, R.F.O.M. club; mystery table, Miss Edith Atwood and Mrs. Ada Senior; fancy table, T.M.T.M. club.

LEATHER WORKERS' UNION

The principal speakers at the recent smoker given for the members of the Leather Workers' union were International Organizer John Shea and F. A. Warnock, former president of the Trades and Labor council. The evening's program was presided over by President Muldoon and those who took part in the entertainment were J. Longley, Paul Cooper, Edward Ryan, T. Buckley, Peter Golden, James Kirkpatrick, Charles Nichols and Fred Adams. Cigars were passed around and luncheon served.

INVENTORY OF ESTATE

An inventory of the estate of Jennie M. Richardson, of this city, has been filed at the probate court in East Cambridge. The estate consists of $6000 in real estate and $5917 in personal estate.

LABONTE'S

School of Dancing for Children

Girls' City Club TUESDAYS Howe Bldg. Merrimack Sq.

4 P. M.—Greek, Russian, Theory, Toe, Nature, Technique.

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Private Ballroom Lessons

BIG MEETING OF STREET RAILWAY MEN

Winter traffic problems were discussed last night at an interesting meeting of the local street railway "snow-fighters" who handle the big plows and keep the transportation service open during the winter months. Manager Maurice E. McCormick came to the meeting, which was held in the chamber of commerce rooms with Supt. Charles E. Whelan in charge. Managers of various departments of the local division were also present with the men who handle the plows and look after the "storm equipment."

MAURICE E. McCORMICK
Division Manager

Mr. McCormick explained the objects of the meeting and told of the value of co-operation between the different branches of the service and upon increased efficiency in handling the winter snow-fighting apparatus. Mr. Whelan followed with a short talk along the methods to be used in the coming campaigns and described the new equipment now ready for the snow battles.

Suggestions and ideas from some of the "old-timers" present were called for, and among those who responded was Hartley Myers, who drove the first electric plow in Lowell, also Herbert Boss, another old-time snow-fighter. Thomas Sayers, day foreman at the car barn; Matthew Gill, night foreman, and George Emsley, claim agent, also spoke. The men were allowed to express their opinions freely as to the equipment of the railway, and recommendations were jotted down by the "supers" to be looked over later on. Nearly 75 men of the railway service attended the meeting.

The street railway officials expressed thanks to George F. Wells, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce, for the courtesy extended by the granting free use of the rooms to the railwaymen.

Tom Sims Says

Clemenceau eats so many eggs chickens will be glad when he goes home.

Winter wouldn't be so bad if it weren't for the cold weather.

Radio amateurs are beating all records, including phonograph records.

European cabinets resign before we hear about them having the job.

Our treasury says gold coins make fine gifts. They are high, though.

It is estimated very few of last New Year's resolutions are unbroken.

A man has lived in Philadelphia 51 years but we can't tell you why.

More girls are taking up basketball. It is said to be excellent training for bargain counter rushes.

Music note: After hearing a song hit too often we wish it had missed.

Mexico's president claims he was not killed in the recent riots, but you can't believe those Mexicans.

Our idea of a good time would be to get a dog and name him Tariff and tie a can to his tail.

The early bird has to sit around and wait for the worm to get up.

One advantage in wearing a derby is nobody wants to steal it.

The best place to make money is always some other place.

Two can live as cheaply as one until the bills start coming in.

One of our big ships landed with a list the other day but the list was not a wine list.

A woman in Boston went crazy when her new hat arrived. It is usually the husband who does this.

Yale has a rapid 10-minute mentality test for students. Edison will think it nine minutes too long.

Man in Kenmore, O., was fined for getting hit by an auto. He has promised not to do it again.

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"Once on a pedestal there stood
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But to the ground she has descended,
Her former glamour now is ended;
Our courtly manners have departed,
Since all this Feminism started."

"Oh, piffle," laughed the modern woman,
"We always were extremely human,
And chivalry was mostly bluff
And insincere and tiresome stuff.
You worshiped us, or so you cried,
But at the same time you denied
Our simplest rights, our dearest wishes,
'Stay home,' you said, 'and wash the dishes.'

"Life on a pedestal was boring,
In spite of all your words adoring,
And though this truth may seem to jar,
You like us better as we are!
Not 'Angels' whom you used to praise,
But pals and comrades through your days.
And that, dear sir, you must agree,
Is worth much more than Chivalry!"

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Steamer Goes to Aid German Vessel

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Radio messages picked up here today indicated that the British steamer Tyrrhenia, bound from New York for Genoa, was proceeding to the assistance of the German steamer Heinrich Kayser, reported in need of assistance last night 500 miles east of Cape May. The Tyrrhenia was 275 miles from the distressed vessel at 9.20 o'clock last night. The Kayser is bound from Savannah and Norfolk for Bremen and Hamburg. The Tyrrhenia sent word by wireless today to the coast guard cutter Acushnet, which also was proceeding to the aid of the Heinrich Kayser, that the Tyrrhenia had not heard from the Kayser since 8 o'clock last night. It was added that the Tyrrhenia was still some distance from the position given by the German steamer.

Steamer George Washington Damaged

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—The steamer George Washington was damaged by her collision with the British steamer Clyne Rock near Goodwinsands in the Strait of Dover, last night, but was able to proceed on her journey, according to advices from Deal, today. The extent of the damage to the George Washington, which was bound from Plymouth for Bremen, is unknown. The Clyne Rock was assisted into Dover with her stem badly cracked.

Boy Armed With Air Rifle Started Fire

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—A little boy armed with an air rifle started something in the South Boston district yesterday. The something was a fire. The youngster conceived the idea of putting a match in the gun barrel. When he pulled the trigger, the match sailed through an open window of a dwelling, grazed the ceiling, ignited and when it fell, set fire to the mattress on a bed. The fire apparatus was called and the loss was placed at $25.

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Charlie Chaplin Ties Prince of Wales in Engagement Rumors

PAULINE STARKE, SHE'S ONE OF THE SCREEN'S MOST PROMISING ACTRESSES. HERE'S HOW SHE APPEARS IN "PASSIONS OF THE SEA," A NEW GOLDWYN PICTURE

By JAMES W. DEAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Well, well! So they say Charlie Chaplin and Pola Negri are betrothed!

Charlie now has been reported engaged as often as the Prince of Wales—and to as many different girls.

The rumor of Charlie's engagement to Negri is the only one in which this writer has taken any stock.

Since the divorce of Chaplin and Mildred Harris the comedian has been reported engaged to at least six girls. In almost every case the girl's name thus was given a prominence that it would not have otherwise enjoyed. Linking of their names with one so renowned as Chaplin's was fat stuff for the press agents.

Chaplin is a gallant man. His popularity was not hurt by these announcements and although he may have resented the intrusion of gosip-mongers into his private affairs, he was too chivalrous to deny openly the reported engagements to the various young ladies.

With Pola Negri the case is utterly different. She is famed on two continents. Her star is already hung in the cinema heavens. It will shine brightly enough for her without the reflected lustre of Chaplin's name.

Chaplin holds her in great esteem. When he returned from Europe a year ago after he had met Negri for the first time I asked him what he thought of her. His face brightened at the mention of her name and without a moment's hesitation he answered.

"I think Pola Negri has the most vivid, striking personality of any woman I met in all of Europe."

Some people are making much of the fact that when Negri met Chaplin upon her arrival in Hollywood she extended both hands to him. The last time I met Harold Lloyd I grabbed him by both hands and I haven't heard a bit of gossip about it as yet.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHARITY GUILD SALE OPENS

The annual Christmas sale in aid of St. Michael's Charity Guild opened at 1.30 this afternoon in the Guild hall in Sixth street and will continue tonight, Friday and Saturday. The hours for the sale during the three days will be from 1.30 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon and from 7 to 9.30 o'clock in the evening. The Guild hall, opposite the church in Sixth street, has been gaily decorated for the occasion by the ladies of the guild and presents a very attractive setting for the affair. The color scheme is red and white with an intermixture of Christmas holly. The various tables have been tastily arranged and enclosed in a series of decorated arches, the groundwork of which is of red crepe paper fantastically fringed. The electrical fixtures are hidden from view with imitation snow drapings and laurel wreaths and sparkle down upon a myriad collection of beautiful and expensive wares and foodstuffs, the majority of which will make appropriate Christmas gifts. Those who anticipate shopping early this year can best carry that idea into execution by visiting the Guild hall on one or all of the three "sale" days and there find plenty of real valuables which Santa Claus might neglect to include in his 1922 repertoire. The affair is being conducted by the members of the Charity Guild under the supervision of the spiritual director, Rev. James F. Lynch, and the entire proceeds will be used for charitable purposes.

The committees in charge are as follows:

Needlework table—Mrs. William E. McHugh, chairman; will have everything possible in the line of needlework.

The Novelty table, with Mrs. George Keefe, chairman, will have men's and women's ties, scarfs, jute bags and all kinds of novelty wear.

The plain goods table, with Mrs. Austin Kennedy, chairman, will have aprons, shirts and household goods.

The doll table, Mrs. Frank T. Morrissey, chairman, will have displayed plain, fancy and ornamental dolls.

The candy table, Miss Rose Rourke, chairman, will have all manner of candy.

The food table will be in charge of Mrs. Gertrude Boyle.

The following committees are in charge of the tables.

Fancy table—Mrs. William E. McHugh, chairman; Miss Mary Gallagher, Miss Margaret Lynch, Miss Grace Thomas, Miss Belle Rourke and Miss Sarah Smith.

Novelty table—Mrs. George Keefe, chairman; Mrs. Everett Gaffney, Mrs. McLaughlin and Mrs. Miller.

Doll table—Mrs. Frank T. Morrissey, chairman; Miss Cecelia Connors, Miss Helen Holden, Miss Helen Carty and Miss Agnes Gray.

Plain table—Mrs. Austin Kennedy, chairman; Mrs. Archibald, Miss Katherine Martin and Miss Della Carty.

Candy table—Miss Rose Rourke, chairman; Miss Oberline Greenwood, Miss Margaret Griffin, Miss Margaret Martin, Mrs. Daniel Sullivan and Mrs. Arthur Fralick.

Food table—Mrs. Gertrude Boyle, chairman; Mrs. J. J. McCausland, Mrs. J. Conlon, Mrs. Maher and Mrs. A. Commerford.

GOOD ENDORSEMENT FOR LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL

Concerning the awarding of a Harvard scholarship to Woodbury Fiske Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Howard of 751 Andover street, Headmaster Henry H. Harris of the high school, today received the following complimentary letter from Henry Pennypacker, chairman of the committee on admission to Harvard university:

"Mr. Dear Mr. Harris: By vote of the faculty of arts and sciences, a list is published each year of those candidates for admission to our freshman class whose records at the examinations of the college entrance examination board were of honor grade. In this list for the current year I find the name of Woodbury Fiske Howard, who received preparations at your school. Will you please accept for yourself and your teachers my personal congratulations on the excellent scholarship exhibited by this candidate. We look forward to receiving other boys prepared at your school exhibiting like standards of scholarship."

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

It's a classy bill at Keith's theatre this week with M. Alphonse Berg head liner with his "Creations," an affair which enlists the services of two remarkably pretty models, and in which he constructs dresses of varied types in two minutes. One he puts together in 20 seconds. In another instance, he takes a piano cover and fashions it into a delightful affair. The remainder of the bill is of the first rate, with Demarest & Collette in their inimitable act of music and fun and acrobatics, and with Burns & Lynn in the snappiest comedy dancing turn seen here in a long time. Another good act is that of Thomas P. Jackson & Co. in "The New Stenographer." It is very well played. The remainder of the bill consists of: Anita Diaz's Monkeys, Ed and May Ernie and Bolger Bros.

THE STRAND

The story of "Who Are My Parents?" the feature film attraction on the Strand program, is clearly indicated by the title. Today, when tales of infidelity are so common upon the stage, the clean, wholesome atmosphere of this picture will come as a welcome relief. The American public has always declared itself in favor of heart stories that show a due respect to the sanctity of the home. That's why this picture is successful. Roger Lytton, Peggy Shaw and others of screen note are in the cast. Hoot Gibson in "The Lone Hand" is the second feature and there is a comedy and weekly, as well as other features.

RIALTO THEATRE

Henry Walthall and Marjorie Daw in "The Long Chance," and Grace Davidson in "The Splendid Lie," are concluding an engagement at the Rialto theatre today. The other features of the same program have a Harold Lloyd comedy and the Rialto News Review.

WILL OBSERVE 25th ANNIVERSARY

Branch St. Andre, A.C.F., will on Feb. 4 next, observe the 25th anniversary of its affiliation with the Artisans Canadiens Francais of Montreal. The observance will be in the form of a solemn high mass in the morning, probably at St. Joseph's church, and a mass meeting at the C.M.A.C. hall in the afternoon.

Final action on the matter was taken at a meeting held last evening with delegates present from the various other local branches of the order. The meeting was presided over by Alfred L. Leblanc and Secretary Tancrede L. Blanchette gave a report of the financial standing of the society and also stated that since the early part of last month 115 new members were initiated.

There were remarks by Organizer C. E. Bazin and resolutions were adopted on the recent death of Organizer J. M. Dupont of Nashua. In the course of the meeting it was voted to invite Bishop Lepailleur of Montreal, Que., chaplain general of the order, and President General Bedard and Secretary General Roy, both of Montreal, to attend the festivities.

CLEVER END MEN IN Y. M. C. I. SHOW

The endmen in the Y.M.C.I. show, "Under the Spotlight," comprise a sextet of entertainers hard to beat. Good singers, great funsters, clever dancers, etc., they keep things moving along in great style throughout the first part of this musical extravaganza. The sextet is composed of Frank McCartin, who without a doubt is the best endman in the city and who never fails to bring joy to his audience by his presence; Patrick Maguire, a singer of note and a fine entertainer; Frank O'Neill, a Y.M.C.I. favorite and a clever entertainer; Edward (Tip) Handley, who needs no introduction to Lowell people and who keeps things moving along at all times; Charles Clancy, the dancing endman and a great favorite; and Joseph Craven, a rare gem, who can sing, dance and entertain in A No. 1 style and whose comedy is rich. Tickets are selling fast for the production, which is to be repeated at the Auditorium on Monday evening, next, and are on sale at various stores down town and throughout the city. Many were disappointed Thanksgiving night because of being unable to gain admission, so all are advised to secure their tickets early and not wait until the night of the performance.

PREPARING STUDENTS FOR TEACHING

What may prove of interest to students in Lowell schools contemplating a career of teaching is the recent announcement of the College of Liberal Arts of Boston university, that two good courses will be opened at the school in a short time. The first concerns high school graduates who want to teach and to these the College of Liberal Arts of the university offers a four-year course with electives in education. More than one-half of all the graduates of this college enter the teaching profession.

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WAR PREMIER VISITS WAR PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press.)—America's wartime president and France's wartime premier met here late yesterday for the first time since the signing of the peace treaty at Versailles more than three years ago. The meeting was at the S street home of Mr. Wilson and lasted just a little more than a quarter of an hour.

M. Clemenceau described his visit as one of the utmost cordiality and affection as between old friends, adding that he and the former president had talked a little about old times in Paris and also about "the past and the present."

Mr. Wilson made no reference to the purpose of the visit of the former premier of France to America, or the subject matter of his addresses in this country. M. Clemenceau continued, but smiled and seemed pleased when told that the mention of his name and of the 14 points had elicited more applause from the French statesman's audiences than any other one thing.

Describing Mr. Wilson as somewhat stouter than at the time of his visit to France, M. Clemenceau said he appeared as mentally alert as ever and that there was no noticeable difference in his voice. Also he declared that the former president showed a great clearness of view and precision of thought.

The former chief executive received his distinguished visitor in the library on the second floor of his home. Mrs. Wilson was with him when M. Clemenceau arrived, but retired immediately. Mr. Wilson remained seated throughout the visit, the former premier said, adding that he did not prolong his stay because his host appeared to be fatigued.

The call at the Wilson home was an incident of one of the busiest days M. Clemenceau has had since he landed on American shores.

"Tiger" Rests Today.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Rising a little later than is his usual habit after the strenuous day of yesterday and a night address which kept him up late, Georges Clemenceau today faced a comparative lull in his program. Luncheon with President Harding at the White House at 1.30 o'clock, was the only scheduled event for the day.

Whether his capacity for sight-seeing would continue to keep the Tiger on the move on the next to the last day of his visit here, or whether he would take advantage of the easier program to rest and "point" for the concluding and important speech tomorrow before the conference of public opinion on world peace, he was apparently letting the day decide.

Announced as the only "formal" address on his program here, Clemenceau was understood to be reversing the high spots of his argument for American co-operation in French affairs for that hour. He plans to leave the capital almost immediately after concluding his address for Philadelphia, delivering another there Saturday and moving on leisurely to Chicago for his final speech there Monday.

Caruso Memorial Candle Completed

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A candle of chemically treated beeswax, five feet in circumference at the base, 16 feet high and weighing one ton, known as the Enrico Caruso Memorial Candle, has just been completed in the studios of Antonio Ajello and Brother, and will soon be shipped to Pompeii, Italy. It cost $3700 and was made to the order of an orphan asylum in New York of which Caruso was a generous benefactor.

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ABBIE HOOT GIBSON IN "THE LONE HAND"

New JEWEL Theatre

LAST TIMES TODAY

"THE SPANISH JADE"

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Eight Acts

RIALTO

Grace Davidson —IN— "The Splendid Lie"

Henry Walthall —IN— "The Long Chance"

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Don't wait until tomorrow to begin the use of this wonderful prescription now obtainable in both liquid and tablet form if you have any of the above symptoms. Kidney and bladder troubles don't wear away. They will grow upon you slowly, stealthily and with unfailing certainty. If you even suspect that you are subject to Kidney Disease, don't lose a single day for Fred Howard, 197 Central street, A. W. Dows' drug store, and every good druggist have been authorized to return the purchase money on the first big bottle to all who state they have received no benefit.—Adv.

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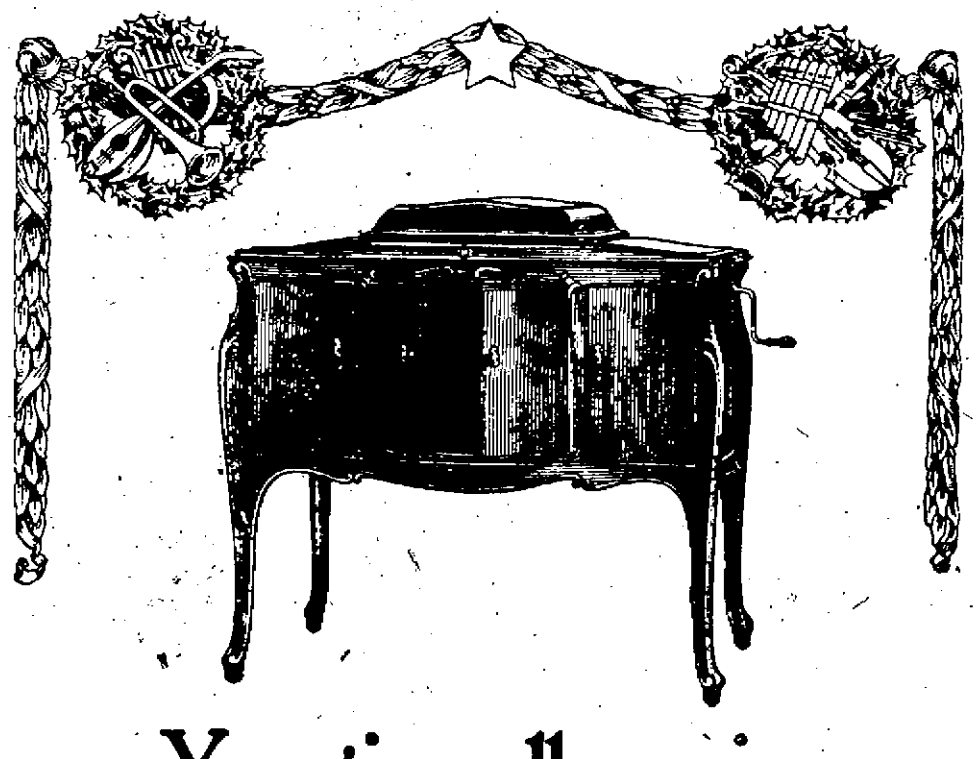

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Worcester	11	11	50.0
Portland	8	11	42.1
Providence	7	12	36.8

GAMES TONIGHT

Lowell at Salem.
Providence at Portland.

WORCESTER, Dec. 7.—New Bedford defeated Worcester in the Casino last night in the fastest polo game of the season here, 5 to 4. The goal-tending of P. Welch for New Bedford was the feature. The summary:

NEW BEDFORD		WORCESTER
Duggan, 1r	1r,	E. Pierce
Higgins, 2 r	2r,	S. Pierce
T. Welch, c	c,	Jean
Gardner, hb	hb,	Muirhead
P. Welch, g	g,	Conley

Score: New Bedford 5, Worcester 4. Rushes: Duggan 10, E. Pierce 2. Goals, Duggan 2, Higgins 2, T. Welch 1, S. Pierce 2, E. Pierce 1, Jean 1. Stops, P. Welch 71, Conley 43. Referee, Burkett.

POLO NOTES

The Salem team continues to play great polo and it is a shame the fans down that way do not appreciate the efforts of Lefty Tyler and turn out in larger numbers. Failure to better patronize the Salem games may result in the team being transferred to another city and it is understood several cities are anxious to get into the league.—Exchange.

Tyler has certainly made good in his first venture in polo. He has assembled a fine team and has all players working harmoniously and effectively. He has the paper and the loyal fans in "Witchtown" with him but the attendance figures are far below what the brand of polo dispensed is worthy of.

On Friday night Tyler will bring his Salem team to Lowell and his friends here as well as the friends and admirers of his players, headed by "Big Bob" Hart, will no doubt turn out in large numbers to greet him.

With Evans scheduled to join the Portland team tonight the Casco bay entry will be one of the fastest in the league. Evans will play center, with Griffith going to halfback. This will give the club four men up on skates. All are good hard and accurate drivers and the quarter ought to score many goals.

The race is tightening up and a glance at the standing will show that a bad week for the leaders with a good week for the tail enders would bring about many changes. All teams are still in the fight and with all managers still out to strengthen up the weak links the prospects for a great race are very bright.

CLINTON-FERGUSON BOUT IS CALLED OFF

The Johnny Clinton-Tracy Ferguson bout scheduled for tonight as the feature event of the Moody club show at the Crescent rink has been called off, owing to the fact that Clinton met with an injury while finishing his training yesterday. His eye, which was injured in his bout here with Tony Julian, was opened again. Manager Dodge when informed of the accident cancelled the show rather than attempt to obtain a substitute to meet Ferguson.

Word was received from Jack Leahy today to the effect that there is no truth in the reports that Phinny Boyle, the local lightweight, had decided to retire from the game. Jack says Phinny has been doing light training for a couple of weeks and will be back in the game in the very near future. Boyle is particularly anxious to meet Charlie Parker and according to Leahy, stands ready to step into the ring against the Boston boy at any time.

Young George Gardner, another local lightweight of promise, who has not fought since his bout here with Boyle last spring is also training with the intention of again hopping back into the game. He has put on a little weight and feels that this is just what he needed. He would like to again tackle Boyle, as the score is even, each having one decision to his credit. He also declares he would be glad to take on Tony Julian again. He won over Julian in Boston about a year ago.

BROWN SHADES JULIAN

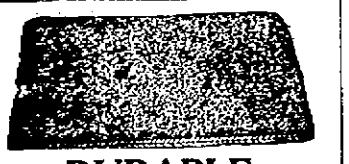
BOSTON, Dec. 7.—Although Harry Kid Brown, the Philadelphia lightweight, received the decision over Tony Julian, the young Brockton boxer, in their fast, 10-round bout at the Armory A.A. last night, he knew when the battle was over that he had been in one of the toughest fights of his career.

It was only by a slight margin that Brown gained the honors. There were a great many of the fans who left the club feeling that Julian was the winner. That the latter was able to do as well as he did was a big surprise. It was his third fight in a week and each one a hard one.

Brown, who is a well-seasoned boxer, was able to ward off defeat through his experience. Many times he went to a clinch because of the battering he was receiving from Julian.

LOOKING FOR GAMES

The Varnum Independents would like to arrange a series of basketball games with the Y.M.H.A., the Athenian A. C. or the Y.M.C.A. advanced boys, or any other 120-125 pound team in the city. Answer through this paper or call 4085-Y and ask for Geo. Kelly.



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LOWELL KENNEL CLUB HAS BANNER SHOW

The Lowell Kennel club's dog show last evening surpassed anything held by this organization since its "A.K.C." show last Decoration day. Entries arrived early in Old Fellows hall, where the exhibition was held, and competition in all classes was very keen. A large number of out-of-town dog owners were present, including fanciers of note with excellent animals brought along for exhibition purposes.

The success of the show augurs well for future exhibits and contests.

The judges did not complete their assignments until 15 minutes before midnight.

The prize winners were as follows:

Boston Terrier classes: Under three months, first, "Lucky Strike," owned by Guy Kenney; second, "Star," owned by Mr. Demais of Lawrence, and third, "Punch," owned by Edward Boland; from three to six months, first, "K.C.," owned by Mr. Moosh of Haverhill; second, "Dandy Boy," owned by Joseph Foley; six to nine months, first, "Slicker," owned by Mrs. Caron of Lawrence, second, "Clark's Tokio," owned by Mr. Clark, and third, "Sweet," owned by Mr. Demodana; nine to 12 months, first, "Just," owned by Mrs. Lovett, and "Jacques," owned by Mrs. Frost; under 15 pounds, first, "Dandy Boy," owned by Joseph Foley; second, "Star," owned by Mr. Demais, and third, "Rexhome King," owned by Mr. Cormack; 15 to 20 pounds, novice class, first, "Jacques," owned by Mrs. Frost; second "Algo," owned by Mr. Caron, and third, "Daddy," owned by Mr. Lees; limit class, first, "Rialto Rio," owned by Mrs. Dinneen; second, "Jacques," owned by Mrs. Frost, and third, "Ugo," owned by Mr. Caron; 20 to 25 pounds, first, "Buddy," owned by Mrs. Robinson; limit and open, first, "Gold Dollar," owned by John Davis, and second, "Buddy," owned by Mrs. Robinson; best Boston male, "Rialto Rio," owned by Mrs. Dinneen.

Boston Terrier, female: Under three months, "Dream," owned by Mrs. Lovett; second, "Duchess," owned by Mrs. McSweeney, and third, "Rainy Toss," owned by P. Grady; three to six months, "Bessie," owned by Mr. Lynch, "Beauty," owned by Mr. St. Jacques, and "Beauty," owned by Mr. Cahill; nine to 12 months, "Kelley Trixie," owned by Miss Grant, and "Pitter," owned by T. F. Donovan; under 15 pounds, novice, limit and open, first, "Lucky," owned by Mrs. Robinson, and second, "Cyr's Bijou," owned by Mr. Cyr of Lawrence; 15 to 20 pounds, novice, limit and open, "Dream," owned by Mr. Mooch, "Mignonette," owned by Mrs. Dinneen, and "Hood's Sweetie," Mrs. Mooch; 20 to 25 pounds, novice, "Danger," owned by Mrs. Lovett, "Grant's," owned by Miss Grant, and "Spindle City Lady," owned by Mr. Cahill; limit and open, first, "Y Z," owned by Mr. Mooch, second, "Danger," and third, "Grant's Bonnie"; best Boston female in the show, "Y Z," owned by Mr. Mooch; best Boston from Lawrence, "Ugo," owned by Mr. Caron; male first, "Pippin," owned by Mr. St. Jacques; female, "Vic," owned by Mrs. Robinson, and "Beauty," owned by Mrs. Lovett.

English bulls, puppies, first and second, "Teddy" and "Billy," owned by Mr. Hanley; senior puppy, "Rival English Duchess" and "Rival English Lady," owned by Mr. Swan of Lawrence. Both duplicated in the novice and limit classes. Special under six months, "Teddy," and special over six months, "Rival English Lady."

French bulls, puppies under six, first, "Billy Boy," owned by Mr. Gallagher, second, "Monte," owned by Mr. Willett, and third, "Bud," owned by Mr. Connors; six to nine months, "Buttons," owned by Mr. Cunha; nine to 12 months, "Punch," owned by I. E. Wotton. These duplicated in the novice, limit and open classes. French bull heavies, first "Buttons," owned by Mr. Cunha, and second, "Billy," owned by Mr. Hanley; special puppy male, "Punch," and female, "Flapper," owned by Miss Grady.

Cocker spaniels, novice, limit and open, "King Cole," owned by R. R. Smith. Prince Charles spaniels, 3, 6, 9 and 12 months, "Nona," owned by Mrs. A. Dyar. Blenheim spaniels, 3 to 12 months, "Peggy," owned by Mrs. Dyar; novice, limit and open, "Snowboy," owned by Mrs. Dyar. Spitz males, 9 to 12 and novice classes, "Teddy," owned by Mrs. Mullarkey; females, first, "Beauty," and second, "Lucky," both owned by Mrs. Enos.

Pomeranians, novice, limit and open, first, "Simp," Mr. Fournier, second, "Brownie," owned by Miss Gordon, and third, "Bijou Boy," owned by Mrs. Wescott; female, first and winner of four specials, "Princess Daisy." Maltese terriers, novice, limit and open, "Queenie," owned by Mrs. Coburn. Black and tan, novice, limit and open, "Little Blackie," owned by R. Dube; female, same classes, "Weenie," owned by R. Patterson.

Airedales, under three months, owned by A. Lynch; 3 to 6 and 6 to 9 months, "Mickey," owned by Mr. Ferguson; second, "Marion," owned by Mr. Beardsall, and, third, "Black Prince," owned by H. Bailey; females, 3 to 6 months, first, "Peggy" owned by Mrs. Newhall, and second, "Jeff," owned by Mr. Ferguson; 6 to 9 months, first, "Miss Boniface," owned by Mrs. Newhall; 9 to 12 months, "Fairy," owned by E. Murphy, and "Climber C" and "Lord Bob," owned by Mrs. Newhall; Airedales, novice, first, "Salt River," owned by J. Livingston; second, "Brigadine," owned by F. Park, and third, "Whiskers," owned by S. Birnham; all duplicated in the limit; open, first, "Climber C," second, "Lord Bob," both owned by Mrs. Newhall, and third, "Salt River," owned by Livingston; females, novice, first, "Lassie," owned by F. Parit; second, "Nancy," owned by Mr. Foster, and third, "Bouncing Bet," owned by N. Newell; limit, first, "Miss Boniface," Mrs Newhall; second, "Lassie," and third, "Nancy." Open, first, "Lady Ruffles," owned by Mr. Beardsall; second, "Lassie," and third "Nancy."

Foxhounds: females, 1 to 3 months, first; "Freeze," owned by H. Nixon, second; "Mossy," owned by Mr. McKenzie, and third, "Belle, owned by F. Lorrie; 3 to 6 months, "Dick," owned by Mr. McKenzie; 6 to 9 months, "Jack," E. Mansur, and 9 to 12 months, first, "Togo," J. Monahan, 2nd, "Jack," males novice, first, "Togo," owned by Mr. Monahan, second, "Jack," owned by E. Mansur; limit, "Bruiser," owned by F. Bassett, second, "Jock," open, first, "Doctor," owned by F. A. Bassett, and second, "Jack." Females, novice, limit and open, "Lady," owned by Sam McCord. Male, special, "Bruiser," and female, "Lady."

English setter, novice, limit and open, "Vesper," J. Gove and second, "Teddy," B. Simpson. Specials won by "Teddy" and "Vesper." Pointer, novice, limit and open special, "Nick," owned by T. Waters.

Beagles, male novice, limit, open and special, "Pep," owned by A. Ahearn; females, "Chip," owned by H. Mills. Collies, 3 to 6, female, "Tessie," owned by F. Collins.

BOWLING

There were several contests on the local alleys last night. The scores:

BOOTT MILL LEAGUE

WEAVING

D. Holgate	94	103	96	293
B. Lawson	82	80	97	259
Fralick	83	82	81	248
B. Doherty	86	96	84	266
H. Dickerson	98	103	121	322
Totals	443	463	479	1385

SPINNING

Bozek	85	110	84	279
T. Stankiewicz	80	84	74	238
P. Morin	80	89	91	260
Wojcik	80	97	78	255
A. Jacques	100	89	92	281
Totals	425	469	419	1313

ELECTRICAL

W. Marsh	109	91	82	282
H. Hall	94	91	106	292
W. Gendreau	79	109	89	277
T. Kenney	78	86	89	253
F. Regan	93	82	81	246
Totals	443	459	447	1349

STOREHOUSE

C. Sheehan	96	87	97	280
R. Abbott	83	87	84	234
Sub.	78	82	81	241
J. Desrosiers	89	92	77	258
J. McKenzie	95	85	87	270
Totals	441	430	426	1303

MECHANICAL

L. Duffy	95	84	93	272
F. Fratus	87	80	114	281
R. Hall	86	103	93	282
J. Williams	80	93	78	251
H. McKeon	86	81	96	263
Totals	434	441	464	1339

OFFICE

H. Cote	82	79	85	246
J. Cox	93	80	85	263
W. Neberg	71	92	95	258
F. Kelliher	99	104	117	320
W. Belyean	97	94	81	272
Totals	447	449	463	1359

CARDING

F. Frappier	81	93	107	250
W. Sullivan	105	98	116	319
R. Dearborn	109	83	91	283
W. Brown	87	79	76	243
M. Fraytus	84	93	80	257
Totals	466	444	470	1380

CLOTH ROOM

F. Bridges	85	93	83	260
A. Lucier	102	82	92	276
L. Richards	89	80	89	258
F. Dickinson	85	81	87	253
A. Desmarais	86	106	85	277
Totals	450	442	425	1317

BAY STATE MILLS

TEAM A

Daley	99	106	103	308
Goulding	108	120	122	348
Farrett	120	98	84	302
Feughan	110	106	101	320
Sub	88	90	91	264
Totals	515	520	501	1542

TEAM D

Badger	97	91	78	266
Jones	90	91	91	272
Lafley	93	94	109	296
Whitehead	87	95	101	283
Giffin	83	90	96	269
Totals	450	461	475	1386

TEAM F

Atkinson	83	100	96	279
Leary	94	86	85	265
Ashton	80	94	81	255
Pigg	87	116	89	292
Brown	76	92	86	254
Totals	420	488	438	1346

TEAM B

Corr	90	80	89	259
Horrigan	76	83	80	239
Benoit	76	81	79	236
Keohane	87	76	90	253
McPherson	93	86	102	281
Totals	432	409	440	1281

TEAM E

Badger	88	108	89	285
Taylor	89	93	100	281
Ripley	70	74	109	253
Teague	78	87	90	255
Adams	83	94	107	284
Totals	408	461	489	1378

TEAM C

Higgins	77	65	93	235
Sub	76	74	89	239
Waterhouse	91	93	82	266
McKenna	77	87	83	247
Tyrrell	94	95	89	278
Totals	415	414	436	1265

COL-TEX VS. GIANTS

COL-TEX

F. Dacey	99	116	87	302
Livingston	98	111	103	312
Hurley	105	79	90	274
R. Hart	85	94	107	286
Brown	88	86	93	267
Totals	475	486	480	1441

GIANTS

D. Mullarkey	93	94	94	281
Shea	79	97	84	260
Dugas	90	79	104	273
Byrnes	85	74	87	246
W. Mullarkey	95	87	82	264
Totals	442	431	451	1324

WRECKERS VS. ALL STARS

WRECKERS

A. Breen	113	81	86	285
Cawley	87	84	85	256
Dumont	90	83	76	249
Ward	85	95	76	256
Golden	111	96	93	300
Totals	421	434	421	1346

ALL STARS

Carroll	108	90	90	288
J. Dacey	72	82	80	234
Gardner	99	80	93	272
O'Hare	83	83	83	249
J. Eastman	95	81	97	273
Totals	457	416	443	1316

Standing and Averages

The team standing and individual averages of the Mercantile, the Merrimack and the Boott Mills leagues are as follows:

MERCANTILE LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pinfall
Hobson & Lawler Co.	25	12	13970
Bon Marche D. G. Co.	27	13	13936
A. G. Pollard Co.	24	16	13385
xNew England Laundry	21	15	12646
J. L. Chalifoux Co.	20	20	13433
Burbeck Milk Co.	18	22	13477
xAdams Hardware Co.	9	27	11794
Turner Cen. Creamery	8	32	12011

x—One game to roll off.

Individual averages: J. LeBrun 101.13, F. Gilman 98.22, A. Durgin 98.3, Dean 97.26, Jewett 97.6, Martin 96.1, Taylor 95.1, O'Neil 94.1, Finnerty 94.1, R. Durgin 93.21, Rhodes 93.19, Couture 93.5, Walker 92.19, Queenan 92.8, Larose 92.4, Roth 91.10, Burrill 91.7, Allard 91.3, McCall 91.1, Dixon 91.2, Morton 90.6, Axel Hallenborg 90.4, McMahon 89.24, Tucker 89.16, Durkin 89.13, A. Hallenborg 89.7, Marshall 88.21, O'Brien 88.15, Peterson 88.5, A. Kenyon 88.1, Vincent 88, Neary 87.18, A. Gilman 87.14, Dunlap 87.4, Hobson 85.1, Bean 82.13, Norwood 83.1, Gage 82.3, Downs 81.2.

MERRIMACK LEAGUE

TEAM STANDING

	W.	L.	Pinfall
Velvet	33	8	13609
Corduroy	24	16	13957
Warp Twisters	24	16	13586
Motive Power	20	15	12426
Card & Spinning	20	16	12214
Shop	17	22	13162
Khaki	15	25	13197
Office	4	36	12982

High team three strings, Velvet, 1465; second, Warp Twisters, 1461, high individual three strings, Foye, 357; second, Maguire, 339; high individual single, Foye and Lane, 139; second, Burns 131.

Averages: Lane 98.18, Foye 98.15, Sheridan 96.21, Maguire 96.6, Rainville 96.5, Heald 96.2, Dhont 95.23, Collins 95.3, Lafortune 95.2, Sanborn 94.7, Panton 94.7, Capper 93.25, Thurston 93.19, Lyness 93.15, Baldwin 93.13, Fitzgerald 93.6, Burrows 93.3, O'Dea 93, J. Moran 92.9, Wrenn 92.7, Webb 92.3, Lowe 92.1, H. Eyres 91.13, Thursby 91.5, Lancaster 90.20, Benoit 90.18, Holt 90.17, Garneau 90.13, Pascall 89.13, Waring 88.7, Clairemont 89.1, Taylor 88.12, Burns 88.7, Moran 88.6, Rowe 88.2, St. John 88.1, Murray 87.8, Mulrenin 87.3, Clarke 86.19, Meehan 86.3, Owens 86.2, Holmes 85.14, Millman 85.10, McDonald 85.4, Robertson 84.8, Gendron 84.6, Morris 84, Fairburn 83.12, Brown 82.2, Vickery 71.10.

BOOTT MILLS TEAM STANDING

	W.	L.	Pinfall
Spinning	28	4	11073
Weaving	20	12	10188
Office	20	12	9754
Carding	16	16	10062
Mechanical	13	19	10353
Electrical	12	20	10417
Cloth Room	12	20	10225
Storehouse	7	25	10423

Individual High 3 String: J. Bozek 337, H. McKeon 323, R. Hall 317.

High Team Three Strings: Spinning 1439, Office 1437, Spinning 1425.

Individual High String: W. Marsh 123, W. Belyea 122, R. Hall, 121, H. McKeon 121.

High Team Single: Office 521, Spinning 520.

Individual Averages: H. McKeon 93.3, J. Bozek 97, A. Jacques 94.9, H. Kelleher 94.5, W. Belyea 93.6, St. Wojick 92.11, H. Dickenson 92.9, B. Doherty 92.5, W. Marsh 92.4, H. Hall 91.7, M. Fratus 90.8, R. Hall 90.4, A. Desrosiers 90.4, J. Cox 90.2, J. Williams 89.15, Stankiliviz 89.15, H. Fralick 89.13, D. Sullivan 89.11, H. Cote 89.10, F. Dickenson 89.8, D. Holgate 89.3, J. McKenzie 88.20, B. Lawson 88.8, W. Gendreau 88.17, P. Morin 88.7, H. Dearborn 88.7, C. Sheehan 88.4, J. Lucier 88.3, W. Brown 88.2, W. Desmond 88.1, G. Duff 87.14, F. Frappier 87.6, A. Desrosiers 87.6, T. Carty 86.8, L. Duffy 85.16, B. Abbott 85.15, A. Gionet 85.2, J. Bridges 85, F. Regan 83.20, W. Nyberg 83.20, W. Fortier 83.17, F. Fratus 83, T. Kenney 82.6, W. Higgins 72.1.

FIGHT TO EXTERMINATE BASEBALL POOLS

LOUISVILLE, Ky. Dec. 7. (By the Associated Press) A fight to exterminate baseball pools was pledged to Commissioner Landis by major and minor leaguers today as a result of the commissioner's appeal last night to wipe out what he termed the greatest menace to the sport.

The commissioner with characteristic severity, called the operator of a baseball pool "the slimiest, lowest form of criminal in existence," and declared he would accept no excuse from any club official for not making a fight to stop pool operations.

SOCIAL AND DANCE BY H. S. FOOTBALL TEAM

A well attended social and dance, under the auspices of the Lowell high school football team, was held in Coburn hall of the high school last night. Several hundred young couples were present and enjoyed the program of general dancing from 8 until 11 o'clock. Headmaster Henry H. Harris was present as a special guest of the football team and during an intermission, congratulated the squad for its part in helping the alumni association erect a stadium at Spalding park. The proceeds of the dance will be donated to the stadium fund.

The matrons for last night's party were Mrs. Jas. P. Keane, Mrs. Robert Marden, Mrs. Bennett Silverblatt, Mrs. Edward W. Trull and Mrs. Charles McIntyre. Capt. John McMannon, of the football team, assisted by the other members of the squad, had general charge of the affair.

BASKETBALL

Two basketball games, followed by dancing, will be held at the St. Anne's parish house tonight. The St. Anne's first team will meet Sharf Nobles while the St. Anne's second team will line up against the Y.H.M.A. Both games are expected to be hotly contested. The first team has a busy season in view and expects to again figure in the fight for the city championship. Several of the stars of last year's great team are back in the game, and the new men are teaming up well with the veterans.

The C.Y.M.L., which has had a high class team for the past several years, will again be represented this season. A meeting of all members of the team will be held at the lyceum gymnasium in Suffolk street tonight.

WILL GO TO GLOUCESTER

On Saturday next, the basketball, bowling and pistol teams of Battery B, 102nd Field Artillery, will journey to Gloucester, where they will meet Battery A, of that city. Capt. Faneuf of the battery requests that all members of the teams report at the armory tonight at 7.30 o'clock for practice.

"HAPPY" CONLON JOINS NAVY

Thomas A. Conlon, better known as "Happy" of 15 Fay street, enlisted in the U. S. navy at the local recruiting station yesterday. "Happy" is best known to Lowell folks through his activities on the gridiron as a popular member of the old Indian football team with which he played for a number of years. He enlisted as a machinist's mate.

NOTED U. S. ATHLETES SAIL

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—Three noted American track and field athletes, Jack Merchant, Morris Kirksey and George K. Krogness, will sail from here tomorrow on a tour of New Zealand, which, it is expected, will further athletic relations between the United States and the southern dominion.

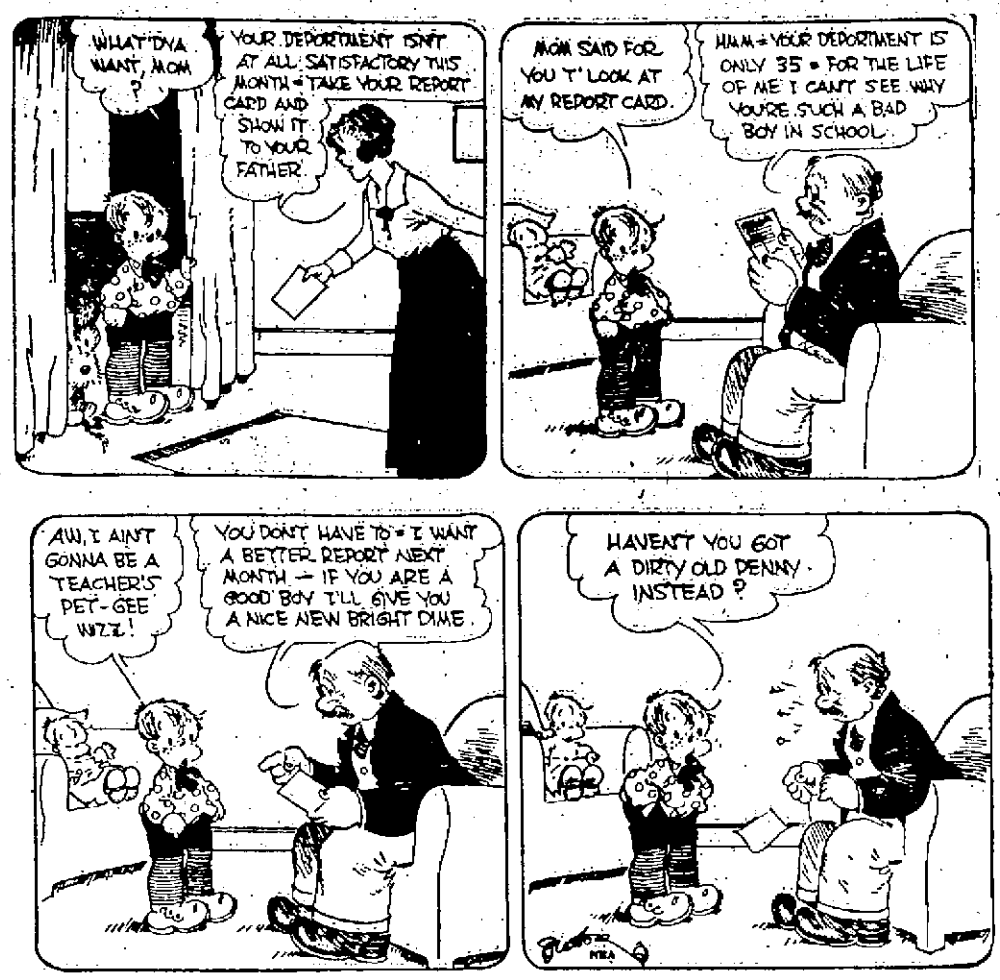
NEW PLAYS AT THE GREENHALGE SCHOOL

Principal John G. Walcott of the Greenhalge school has sent special invitations to Headmaster Harris of the high school and to teachers of drama, literature and art in the high school, to attend three new plays in the spirit of the Arabian Nights to be presented in the Greenhalge school on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Dec. 13 and 14. It is the purpose of the principal to prove what can be done with scenic and lighting effects in a grammar school.

POLO FRIDAY
"LEFTY" TYLER'S SALEM TEAM vs. LOWELL
Crescent Rink, 8.15
Ladies admitted to balcony for 35c
TICKETS 35c, 55c, 85c

Billiard Tournament
At The White Way Billiard Parlors, 294 Moody St.
Tonight at 8 O'Clock
E. LESSARD VS. E. AUBIT

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



O.M.I. FOOTBALL SQUAD

"Signals Over" is the caption given to the social and dance to be conducted in Associate hall on Tuesday, Dec. 12, by the O.M.I. football squad. Arrangements are now completed for the big event.

CASTLE AND NELSON WIN

NEW LONDON, Conn., Dec. 7.—Mike Castle of Lawrence won the decision over Jack Clifford of New York in the main bout here last night. Benny Nelson of Lowell was awarded the verdict over Kid Lee in the semi-final.

Runaway Train Misses House by Inches

LYNN, Dec. 7.—Six members of the family of William A. McKenzie were saved from death or injury early today when a train of four heavily loaded "runaway" freight cars were deflected from crashing into the McKenzie home by a curbstone. The cars broke through a bumper at the West Lynn freight yards of the Boston & Maine R. R. and continued for 200 feet directly toward the McKenzie home. The train missed the house by a few inches.

Men's Bargain Annex
The home of underpriced merchandise.

FLANNEL-WORK-SHIRTS
First Quality Goods
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A big lot of flannel work shirts
Khaki, — Brown — Blue or Gray
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Many of these shirts have two pockets with double seams and are full size.

Our policy in the Men's Bargain Annex is to sell seasonable good at prices that will appeal to thrifty shoppers.

CHALIFOUX'S

Direct entrance to Men's Bargain Annex on Prescott or Central Sts.
Watch Central St. windows for big values every week.

TICKETS FOR COMMERCE CHAMBER DINNER

Tickets for the "Appreciation Dinner" of the chamber of commerce will be a combination of identification card for the coat lapel and a ticket giving the table and seat number. Just as soon as reservations are made, these tickets will be mailed out with the name of the person making the reservation written on the front and table and seat number on the back. This will serve as a ticket for entrance and at the same time prevent any possibility of disarrangement in seating.

By a simple yet ingenious method of checking at the office of the chamber of commerce an accurate record is kept of every reservation so that at any time by glancing at a chart it may be determined just what seats remain vacant. To further facilitate the seating, place cards will be on each plate. With all these elaborate arrangements it is expected that this dinner, unlike the majority of such affairs with all organizations, will start on time, at 6.15 sharp.

The reason for the identification tickets for coat lapels is that there will be plenty of opportunity afforded for promenading and a social time before and after the meeting, and such tickets promote friendliness and good fellowship.

Special invitations have been received by all the members of the board of trade committee and the Auditorium building commission and present returns indicate that all will be present for the occasion. Cong. John Jacob Rogers, who is now busily engaged in Washington, will make an earnest effort to be present.

PAINTERS' UNION ELECTS OFFICERS

A largely attended meeting of local 684, Painters' union, Boston & Maine Federated Crafts, was held last evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street. Considerable business was transacted and the election of officers was held with the following result: John Carroll, president; Chas. Seymour, vice president; Edward Collins, recording secretary; Charles Grant, financial secretary; William Usher, chairman; Charles Seymour, Edward Collins, James Carr and Chas. Grant, shop committee; Henry Morin, warden; William Usher, delegate to the federated crafts. In the course of the meeting those present were addressed by International Organizer Dudley. It was announced that the installation of officers will be held at the first meeting in January.

Old Homestead lodge, 319, I.A. of M. and Valley lodge, 972, Machinists' Helpers, will elect officers for the ensuing year at meetings to be held this evening in Odd Fellows' building, Middlesex street, at 7.30 o'clock.

MAY ORGANIZE SPEAKERS' BUREAU

Executives of the chamber of commerce have under consideration the organization of a "speakers' bureau," to be comprised of able men competent to discuss before local organizations subjects relating to municipal, county, state and national affairs—but not politics.

As now proposed, the bureau would be at the service of local bodies, who would desire an unbiased explanation of the working of government organization, and the American system of voting.

There has already been a demand for such a service from various women's organizations of the city.

ATTACHMENTS FILED

The following attachments have been filed at the local registry of deeds office since the last were published: Morjimer C. Washburn, Tyngsboro vs. John Marinel and George W. Marinel, known under the firm name of J. Marinel & Son, Chelmsford, action of contract, $2,000. Margaret C. Starkey, Boston vs. Etta Hall and Allen Brown alias Allen Hall, Billerica, action of tort, $1000.

FOR TARIFF ON CATTLE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Representative Hudspeth, democrat, Texas, has introduced a bill to put a tariff on cattle and stock straying over the border or conveyed for temporary pasturage unless returned to the United States in 12 months.

Home-made Remedy Stops Coughs Quickly

The best cough medicine you ever used. A family supply easily and quickly made. Saves about $2.

You might be surprised to know that the best thing you can use for a severe cough, is a remedy which is easily prepared at home in just a few moments. It's cheap, but for prompt results it beats anything else you ever tried. Usually stops the ordinary cough or chest cold in 24 hours. Tastes pleasant, too—children like it—and it is pure and good.

Pour 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle, then fill it up with plain granulated sugar syrup. Or use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup, if desired. Thus you make a full pint—a family supply—but costing no more than a small bottle of ready-made cough syrup.

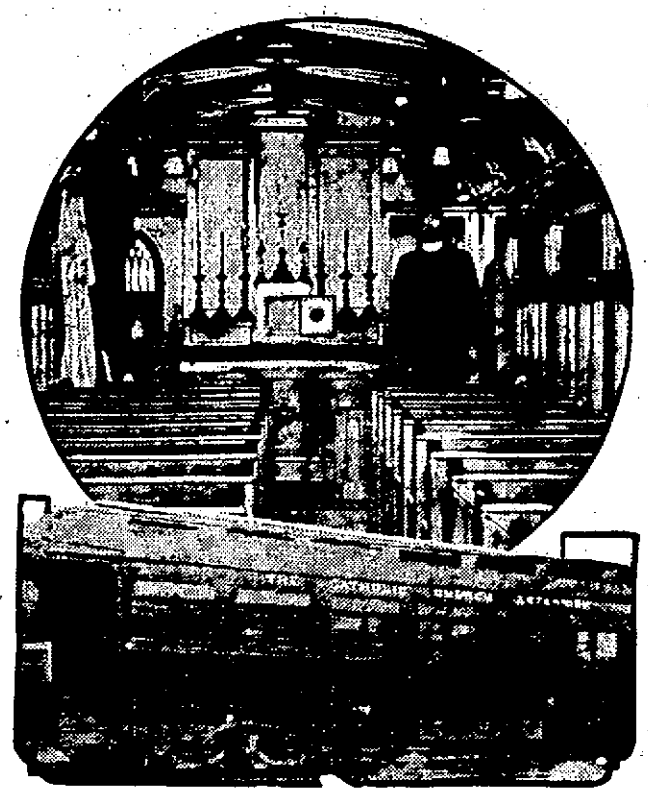
And as a cough medicine, there is really nothing better to be had at any price. It goes right to the spot and gives quick, lasting relief. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a highly concentrated compound of Norway pine extract, famous for its healing effect on the membranes.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Keep Your Skin-Pores Active and Healthy With Cuticura Soap

Soap, Ointment, Talcum 25c everywhere. For samples address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.



CHAPEL CAR TOURS SOUTH

The missionary car "St. Paul" represents the latest mode of teaching religion in communities where no churches exist. Through mining and lumber camps of the southern states, particularly Texas, this special car, owned by the Catholic Church Extension Society, is in continuous travel. The car seats have been converted into pews and an altar erected at one end. The pastor is Rev. Patrick H. Griffin.

Lt. Hinton Resumes Airplane Flight

PARA, Brazil, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Lieut. Walter Hinton resumed his New York-to-Rio Janeiro airplane flight today. He took the air here at 7 a. m., setting out for Maranhao, down the coast, with the intention of stopping at Braganca to replenish his gasoline supply.

CASES ENTERED IN CAMBRIDGE

The following suits have been entered at the office of the clerk of the superior court at East Cambridge.

Edward Monty, Lowell, vs. Myer Rittenberg of Brookline, action of tort, $300. The plaintiff claims that on Sept. 2 his automobile was struck by that of the defendant in Merrimack street and was badly damaged.

Charlotte McDaniels, Lowell, vs. Myer Rittenberg, Brookline, action of tort, $15,000. The plaintiff alleges to have received personal injuries when the automobile of the defendant collided with that of Edward Monty in which she was riding.

Edward T. Brennan vs. Julius J. Benjamin and Maxwell H. Robinson, owners of the J. L. Robinson & Sons, action of tort, $500. The plaintiff is seeking to recover damages to his automobile as a result of a collision with an automobile owned by the defendants.

Finlay Chisholm vs. Albert J. Ryan, action of contract. In this case the plaintiff seeks to recover damages for the improper construction of residences, claiming neglect of duty on the part of Ryan, whom he claims he had hired as an architect to supervise the work.

George Wolfgang vs. J. Wallace McLean, of Southbridge, action of tort in the sum of $2000. The plaintiff is seeking damages for personal injuries alleged to have been sustained in a collision between his motorcycle and an automobile owned by the defendant in Bridge street, Sept. 2.

Florence Kershaw vs. Angie Kimball, action of contract in the sum of $1000. The plaintiff claims that the defendant had entered into an agreement with her to buy $8300 worth of her property if a Mr. Ferris should purchase another parcel. It is claimed that Mr. Ferris complied with his end of the contract, but the defendant did not.

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McDONALD SMITH TO WED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—McDonald Smith, professional golfer and holder of the 1911 Metropolitan championship of the Atlantic coast, has obtained a license to wed Mrs. Louis Harvey, San Francisco society woman.

FAIR OPENS AT CENTRAL M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Leslie C. Bockes formally opened the fair held last evening in the vestry of the Central M. E. church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. Supper was also served. The fair tables were in charge of the following:

Aprons, Misses Mary and Nellie McAfee; ice cream, Mrs. Robert Young and Miss Lizzie Coote; children's table, Mrs. Blanche Cork and Mrs. Berry; fancy articles, Mrs. L. C. Bockes and Mrs. Bessie Ullock; fish pond, V. S. C. class.

The decorations, red and green, were unique with dimmed lights adding to the general scheme of beautifying the quarters. Miss R. L. Gates, Miss Margaret Dilling and Allan Bockes performed this work. The supper committee consisted of Miss Julia Lewis, Mrs. Daniel Wood, Mrs. Constantineau and Mrs. Blanche Cork.

The entertainment included piano solos by Miss Gertrude Henderson, readings by John Wolfe, songs by Clarence Chenever, accompanied on the piano by John Wolf; reading, Miss Helen Henderson, and a sketch, "The Red Chignon," with Leslie Wadsworth, Jessie Normandy, Violet Wood, Alberta Ryder, Gladys Howard and Bessie Ullock in the cast.

CHRISTMAS SUPPER AND ENTERTAINMENT

The annual Christmas supper and entertainment under the auspices of the Chelmsford Centre Unitarian church took place last evening in the church vestry and was largely attended. A roast pork supper was served in the early part of the evening and later a one-act farce entitled "The Obstinate Family" was given, those taking part in the cast being Mrs. William Greig, Perley W. Kimball, Herbert C. Sweetser and Frank Lupien. Other entertainment numbers were given by A. M. Warren. The entertainment was in charge of Mrs. Isaac H. Knight. The committee on arrangements for the supper consisted of Mrs. G. Leslie Putnam and Mrs. Frank E. McMaster, assisted by Mrs. William Baldwin, Mrs. Wm. Greig, Mrs. Charles Wells, Mrs. Edwin C. Perham, Miss Abbie Ford and Mrs. Katherine Smith. The following men of the society acted as waiters: Perley W. Kimball, G. Leslie Putnam, Clarence Woodward, Ralph W. Emerson, Joseph E. Warren, William H. Hall, H. C. Sweetser, Fred L. Fletcher, Arthur M. Warren and Edwin Warren.

Fuel Committee Distributes Coal

BOSTON, Dec. 7.—The municipal fuel committee is distributing nearly 1700 tons of semi-anthracite coal ordered by more than 1600 customers. The fuel was purchased by the city to aid in relieving the present shortage. Little demand has been reported for a supply of coke offered for sale by the city.

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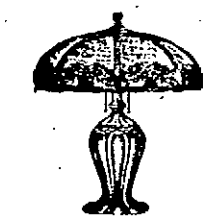

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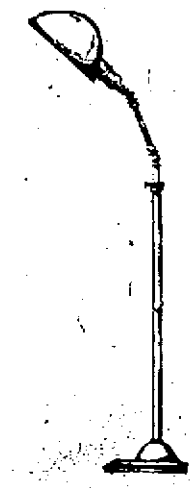

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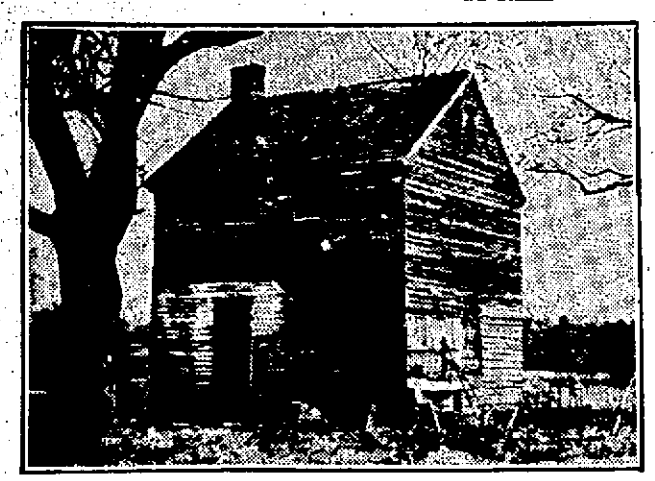

ONE DIME PAYS A MONTH'S RENT

Here is one of the five houses near May's Landing, N. J., which are rented for ten cents a month—the record low rate in the United States. Here's the explanation: since "time immemorial" the families have occupied these houses and no rent was charged by the owner. Now a corporation has bought the land and to protect its title decided to charge a nominal rent.

Investigation of Fatal Airplane Collision

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Dec. 7.—Investigation of the airplane collision yesterday near Langley Field, which resulted in the death of two army officers and four enlisted men, was begun today by a board of inquiry. After examining the wreckage of the two planes which plunged to the ground from an altitude of 250 feet, the board began to question a score of witnesses.

12 to 14 Years Added to Average Life

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Twelve to fourteen years have been added to the average human life in the last half century, by the progress in medical science, Dean John M. Dodson of Bush Medical college said here today in an address before the University of Chicago forum. Infant mortality, he said, "had been cut in half; tuberculosis largely robbed of its terrors and fevers and epidemics brought under control, but 600,000 still die in the United States annually from preventable diseases.

Mrs. Dorrit S. Woodhouse Wins Her Suit

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court room when the verdict was made known.

Steps were taken immediately by the defense counsel to appeal the case, it was announced.

The award was the largest ever given in an alienation suit in Vermont, and possibly in New England.

The plaintiff, daughter of a family in modest circumstances who were neighbors of the wealthy Woodhouses here, contended that her parents-at-law had inspired and supported her husband in a separation from her that led to his going to Reno to establish a residence as the basis for a divorce. She had been snubbed by them, she submitted, and never given adequate recognition as the wife of their son.

The jury that returned the verdict was composed largely of farmers.

The jurors during the long trial heard from young Mrs. Woodhouse herself the conditions which she said constituted alienation of the affections of her husband. As Dorrit Stevens Van Deusen, she told them she met young C. Douglas Woodhouse, scion of the president of the Merchants' National bank of this city, was wooed by him and after he had gone to camp in 1918, they were married. Her husband's parents, she said, encouraged his attentions to Mrs. Lillian H. McClellan of Washington, D. C., on whom documentary evidence showed he showered attention and lavished gifts. Mrs. McClellan in a deposition admitted that young Woodhouse proposed marriage to her and that she entered into an engagement with him on the representation that he was divorced, but broke the engagement when she found he was still married. She made the discovery, she deposed, on Palm Sunday, 1922, when Woodhouse was confronted on the street in Washington by his wife.

In letters read at the trial, Woodhouse wrote his wife, addressing her as "Cutie Pie" that the report that his parents objected to her was false. Under cross-examination she denied that she had urged Woodhouse to marry her.

Mrs. Woodhouse said that her husband left her in November, 1919, without money or other means of support, until she obtained alimony of $100 a month.

The defense was a general denial of the charges.

The first intimation that the jury was to return a sizable verdict for the plaintiff came at 10 o'clock when they filed in and the foreman asked two questions of the court. The first question was: "If the damages are found against both defendants ranging from one to a million dollars, is the husband or wife liable for the whole amount regardless of the financial standing of the other?"

The second question was: "Supposing the amount be $250,000 for exemplary damages and $250,000 actual damages, could the exemplary damages be collected from either the husband or the wife?"

Judge Moulton explained that the jury had nothing to do with the collection of the money; that they only had to do with the fixing of the damages.

In half an hour the jury returned and awarded $465,000, of which $65,000 is exemplary or punitive damages.

A motion was made by the attorneys for the defense to have the verdict set aside, but it is thought that this cannot be argued before Christmas, as Mr. Austin left for New York as soon as possible after the verdict.

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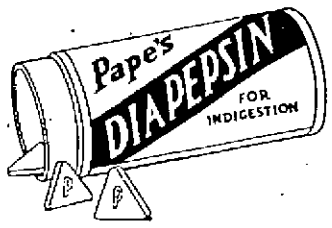

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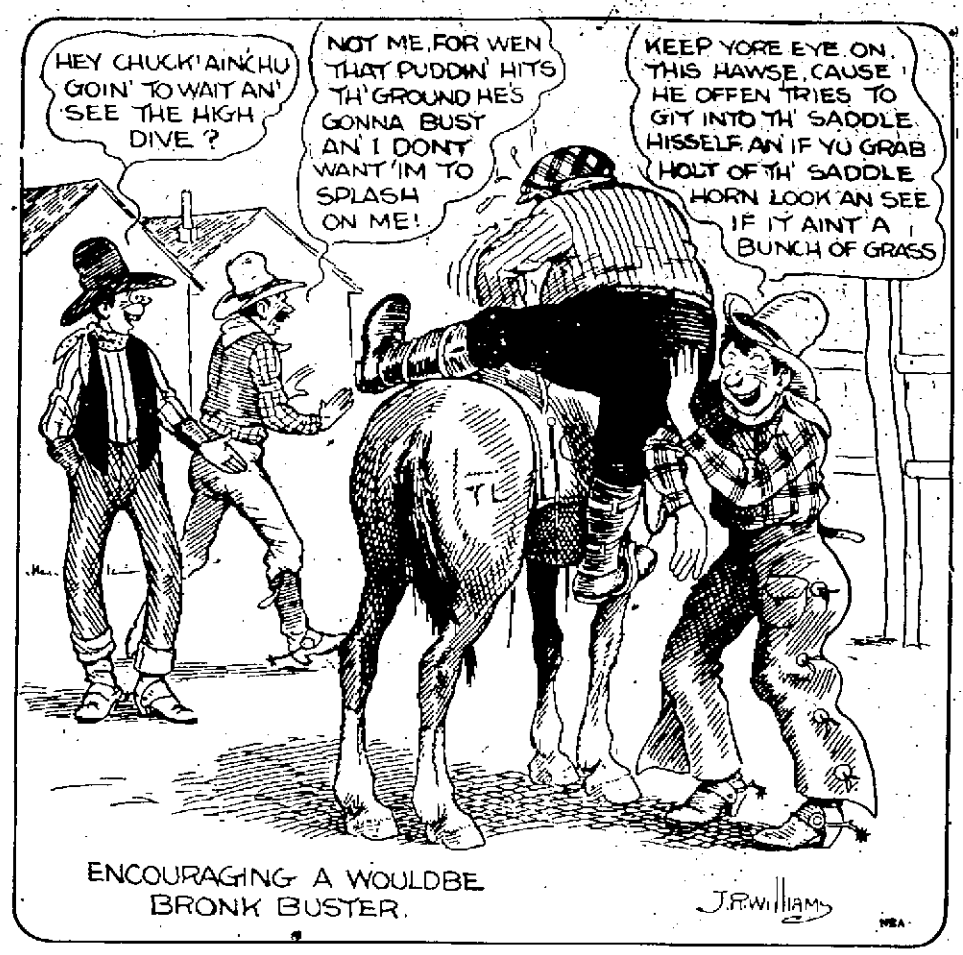

ENCOURAGING A WOULDBE BRONK BUSTER.

BELOW ZERO WEATHER

No Relief for Northwest as Cold Wave Gradually Extended Southward

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—There was no great relief today for the northwest as the first cold wave of winter gradually extended southward. Helena and Havre, Mont., respectively, recorded temperatures of six and two degrees below zero.

In the Atlantic states the northern plateau region, the temperature has fallen, while it has risen in the Mississippi valley and the southern plains states.

Louisiana continued almost to swelter with official temperature in New Orleans recording 70 degrees at 7 o'clock last night.

Florida, the "land of sunshine" continued to live up to its reputation with an average of more than 70 degrees in temperature.

FIRST TOUCH OF REAL WINTER WEATHER

Lowell had its first tiff with real winter weather of the near-zero variety this morning, the official glass on Broadway registering 8 above, the lowest of the season.

Plenty of frigid weather of about the same brand that frosted the window panes last evening and drove many pedestrians off the streets into the theatres, hotels and restaurants, or to the nearest cars for home, is expected for the remainder of the day, with rising temperatures predicted late this evening and diminishing winds becoming east and southeast, and then increasing again about tomorrow morning or a little before that.

Rain or snow is in the offing, the weather sharps say. Friday may bring snow changing to rain, with warmer weather by Friday night. Saturday we may have another rain storm, followed by clearing and colder by night, with strong easterly winds reaching possibly gale force.

Lowell isn't the coldest place on the weather map this morning. At Williston at midnight last evening it was just zero.

DISCUSS WORLD PEACE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Problems bearing on world peace were set for discussion by more than 30 speakers at the three days' conference on public opinion and world peace opening today under the auspices of the International Lyceum and Chautauqua association. Speakers for today's session included Prof. Irving Fisher, of Yale university, discussing "money, exchange and the depression of trade."

DE PALMA IS PEEVED

Only Inmate in Prison Not Convicted of Prohibition Law Violations

MODESTO, Cal., Dec. 7.—Ralph De Palma, noted race driver, serving in the Madera county jail for speeding, has only one complaint, he told Earl Cooper, another race driver who visited him there. De Palma is peeved, he declared, because he is the only inmate in the county prison not convicted of prohibition law violations.

TO BUILD $18,000,000 NEWS PRINT PLANT

MONTREAL, Dec. 7.—Sir Richard Squires, prime minister of Newfoundland, who is on his way home from England, announced today that a plan would be laid before the provincial government early next year for the construction of a news print plant, capable of producing 400 tons of news print daily, to cost about $18,000,000. Should this scheme be adopted, declared Sir Richard, it would revolutionize the industrial life of Newfoundland.

WILL APPROVE ORDERS AGGREGATING $136,000

The city council tonight will approve orders appropriating $96,000 to the street department and $40,000 to the school department from the prior revenue and excess receipts accounts. These amounts are the recommendations of the committee on finance, which met last Monday night and decided to set up these two supplementary appropriations to allow the departments to function for the remainder of the year.

Hints to Home Decorators by Luella Parsons

A GREAT MANY WOMEN are very handy about the house and would fix up their homes themselves if they only knew what to use and how to use it.

When they ask me how to brighten old, faded or soiled walls and ceilings, I always say "Muralite them—all you need is a pail, a brush, some hot water, and Muralite." You can do each room for less than two dollars.

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NOTHING TO CONNECT BEDELL WITH CRIME

ORFORD, N. H., Dec. 7.—The suicide of Frederick C. Bedell, who, after he had been questioned regarding the killing of the aged brothers, John and Charles Davis, here, a month ago, took poison and then shot himself, stimulated further the investigation of the Davis murders today. Bedell, up to the moment of his death in a hospital at Hanover last night, protested that he was innocent of any connection with the Davis case.

Differences between the Davises and Bedell, who was their neighbor, were made matters of further inquiry. The finger prints of Bedell, taken at the inquest that was resumed suddenly last Saturday, were compared with those taken at the Davis home. Bedell's movements on Nov. 7 and 8, the days on which the Davises are believed to have been killed with an axe found blood-stained beside the bodies in their little shack, were being traced.

There was little to hope for in finger-print comparisons, officials said, those taken from the axe and the Davis home being blurred. The trouble between Bedell and the brothers was established but the authorities say they had found nothing in their investigation that would tend to connect Bedell directly with the crime.

CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL FOR COL. DONOVAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A congressional medal of honor for conspicuous bravery in the war, has been awarded William J. Donovan of Buffalo, N. Y., who served as colonel of the 165th Infantry in the World war.

Mr. Donovan already holds the Distinguished Service Cross and Medal, the Croix de Guerre with Palm, the Gold and Silver star, and the Italian and Belgian war crosses.

STEAMER IN DISTRESS

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 7.—The department of marine and fisheries today received a radio stating that the steamer "Auguste Lehonte" believed to be the French steam trawler August Leblond, was in distress 300 miles off Cape Race and that the steamer Nells Neilsen was standing by.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press) Parliament will be prorogued Dec. 15, Prime Minister Bonar Law told the house of commons, today.

Foreign Service Cost

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estimated departmental receipts of $6,150,000.

As to the work before the department, Mr. Hughes said the war had left "a great variety of conditions to deal with and one of the novelties which it left was the status of mandate territories."

"This government," he said, "had not sought any increase of territories as a result of the war, and it has been of vital importance that we should preserve American opportunity in mandated territories despite the fact that we did not ratify the treaty of Versailles."

Mr. Hughes also referred to the "very exigent problem of the Near East," adding: "We have constantly, in connection with Europe, to be watchful as to every step taken to see that nothing, by reason of our special position, is done to the injury of our interests."

Mr. Hughes said that while the present system of passport fees gave the department a considerable income, that personally "I would like to see all fees abolished for passports."

"You will notice how inexpensive this department—which I call the department of peace—is to this government," Mr. Hughes said. "To the extent that we are successful in our work, to that extent, millions and millions of dollars in controversies and possible friction that might result in war, are saved.

"From [illegible] point of view, the matter of $10,000,000 for this government is a bagatelle for foreign service and all our work, but if there is any man in congress who is looking very closely at every dollar of our budget, it is far that he should know just what the expense of what I call the economic burden is."

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

THE HAGUE, Dec. 7.—The conference of the International Women's League for Freedom and Peace was opened today, under the presidency of Miss Jane Addams of Chicago.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 7.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed here today by Mrs. Elizabeth Holley of Lewiston, who gave her occupation as a housekeeper. The debts consist of notes held by residents of Lewiston, Auburn, Farmington and Fairbanks mills.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Amendment of the packer control law to restore the federal trade commission's power to investigate the meat packing industry was proposed in a bill today by Senator LaFollette, republican, Wisconsin, who yesterday secured adoption of a resolution inquiring into the proposed Armour-Morris merger.

PARIS, Dec. 7.—Pershing Stadium, erected for the inter-allied games of June, 1919, and later presented to the municipality of Paris, is proving to be a white elephant to the city, and the union of federations of sporting societies has been invited to take care of it.

BATH, Me., Dec. 7.—Vice President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge will come from Washington to attend the wedding next Saturday of United States Senator Walter E. Edge of New Jersey to Miss Camilla Sewall, it was announced today. The ceremony will take place at noon in Grace Episcopal church, and will be followed by a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Sewell, parents of the bride.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Harding expressed the wish today that the lecturers' conference on public opinion and world peace held here by the International Lyceum and Chautauqua Association "might point the way toward a new advance into the light of understanding by which alone we may safely lay our course in such times as those in which we live."

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Tax provisions of the administration shipping bill were considered today by the senate commerce committee and experts on taxation were called in to explain the complicated features, under which shipping companies would be allowed to make certain exemptions from tax payments.

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 7.—Much of the cross-examination today of Mrs. Madeline Masters Gron, society sculptress at the hearing in superior court of her divorce suit against Niels Gron, Danish diplomat, concerned letters she was alleged to have written her husband. These were in terms of warmest affection.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The house went to work today on the $115,000,000 treasury appropriation bill; the first of the 1923 supply measures to be reported with the expectation of putting it to a vote before adjournment tomorrow.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Miss Elsie Coe and Miss Clara Hutchins of Baltimore were taken from the incoming Los Angeles Limited on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad today by police seeking Miss Clara Phillips, convicted murderess who escaped from the Los Angeles county jail. The women satisfied the police of their identity.

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Today's Stock Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A buoyant tone developed in stock prices at the opening of today's market with food, oil, independent steel, merchandising and equipment shares in good demand. Early gains ranged from 1 to 3 points. Corn Products and Coca Cola led the advance in food shares while Mexican Petroleum, up 3, and Standard Oil of New Jersey, up 2½, headed the oil group. Crucible and Vanadium Steels each improved approximately 1½ points and gains of a point or more also were noted in Studebaker, General Electric, American Car, Sears Roebuck, Manhattan Shirt, Van Raalte Silk, American Ship & Commerce, Tobacco Products A, and United States Alcohol. May Department Stores were pushed up 3½ points. Rails lagged behind the rest of the list but fractional improvement was noted in Reading, Chicago & Northwestern and New York Central, but Northern Pacific and St. Louis Southwestern were reactionary. Other conspicuous weak spots were California Petroleum and Continental Can, each off more than a point. Foreign exchanges opened strong.

The close was irregular. Realizing sales in some quarters caused material recessions in a number of the leaders, particularly Studebaker. In the late afternoon's dealings, Bullish operations, however, were continued in other parts of the list, strength of Corn Products and Cosden Oil being the late features.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Foreign exchanges, irregular. Great Britain, demand 4.66¾; cables 4.66¾; 60-day bills on banks 4.54½. France, demand 7.04½; cables, 7.05½. Italy, demand 4.97½; cables 4.98. Belgium, demand 6.48; cables 6.48½. Germany, demand .01¼; cables .01 5-16. Holland, demand 39.87; cables 39.90. Norway, demand 18.92. Sweden, demand 26.94. Denmark, demand 20.62. Switzerland, demand, 16.82. Spain, demand 15.51. Greece, demand .96. Poland, demand .00⅝. Czecho-Slovakia, demand 3.18. Argentine, demand 37.52. Brazil, demand 12.37. Montreal, 99¾.

Call money easier; high 5; low 5; ruling rate 5; closing bid 5; offered at 5¼; last loan 5; call loans against acceptances 4½.

Time loans steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days 4¾ to 5; 4-6 months 4¾ to 5. Prime commercial paper, 4¼-½.

U. S. government bonds closed: Liberty 3½s 100.36; first 4s 98.40 bid; second 4s 97.90 bid; first 4¼s 98.70; second 4¼s 98.28; third 4¼s 98.70; fourth 4¼s 98.54; unedited victory 4¾s 100.30; called victory 4¾s 100.00; U. S. government 1¼s 99.70.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Cotton futures opened firm. December, 24.52; January, 24.50; March, 24.62; May, 24.64; July, 24.30.

Cotton futures closed steady. Dec. 24.63; Jan. 24.65; Mar. 24.78; May 24.74; July 24.42.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	44½	44	44½
Am Beet Sug	39⅞	39⅞	39⅞
Am Can	72⅜	71⅝	71⅝
do pf	111	111	111
Am Car & F	184½	183	184½
Am Col Oil	18¾	18⅝	18¾
Am H & L	10¼	10⅛	10¼
do pf	63¾	63	63
Am Loco	121	122	123
Am Smelt	122½	122½	122½
Am Smelt	53¼	52⅝	53½
do pf	99⅞	99¾	99¾
Am Sug	75½	75	75
Am Sumatra	29½	28	29½
Am Wool	95⅞	95	95½
Anaconda	49½	48⅝	48½
Atch	101¾	100⅝	100⅝
do pf	91	91	91
At Gulf	24¾	24	24½
Baldwin	123½	120⅞	121⅝
B & O	43⅜	42¾	42¾
Beth Steel A	61½	61	61
do B	63	61½	61½
do pf 8 pc	110	110	110
B R T	17⅛	16½	16⅞
Cal Pete	60⅞	58	58
Can Pac	142½	141	141
Cent Leather	31⅜	33¾	33¾
Ches & O	65⅝	65⅜	65⅜
C & G W	5	5	5
do pf	8½	8¾	8¾
C R I & P	33⅛	32⅝	32½
Chile	27⅞	27⅝	27⅝
Col G & E	101⅝	101¼	101¼
Col Fuel	25¼	25	25
Con Gas	127	125½	125½
Corn Prod	130½	128¾	129⅝
Cru Steel	65½	64	64
Cuba Cane	14⅛	13⅞	14
Del & Hud	120¾	119¾	120¾
Dis Sec	5½	5¼	5½
Elk Horn	23⅝	23⅝	23⅝
Erie	10½	10⅜	10½
do pf	15	14¾	14¾
do 2d	11⅞	11½	11¾
Gen Elec	186	183½	185½
Gen Motors	14	13⅝	13¾
Gt No pf	80½	78	79¼
Gt N Ore ctf	31	30⅝	30⅝
Ill Cen	107¾	107	107
Int Met Com	¼	¼	¼
do 1st	½	½	½
Int Mer Mar	11⅞	11¾	11⅞
do pf	52	49	50¼
Int Paper	53¾	52½	53½
Kennecott	35⅝	35	35⅝
Lack Steel	77	76½	77
Lehigh Val	64	63⅝	63⅝
Maxwell	19	18	18
do 1st	16¼	15¾	16½
Mex Pet	238	236½	236½
Midvale	29	27⅞	27⅞
Mo Pac	19	19	19
Nat Lead	117¾	115⅞	116¾
N Y Air B	28¾	28¾	28¾
N Y Cent	95½	94⅞	95
N Y & N H	21¼	20⅞	21
Nor & West	110¾	110⅜	110½
No Pac	76½	75⅛	76½
O G	28	27⅞	27⅞
Ont & West	20	20	20
Pan Am A	100⅞	97½	98
Penn	46¾	46¼	46¼
Peo Gas	81¾	88¾	83½
Pere Marquet	32¼	32	32¼
Pitts Coal	60⅝	59¾	59¾
P W V	34	33½	33⅛
Pullman	126¼	125	125
Reading	77¼	76¼	76⅝
Rep I & S	47⅞	47	47
Royal D	53⅝	52½	53⅛
St. Paul	23½	23⅛	23½
Sinclair Oil	32	31⅝	32⅛
So Pac	87⅛	86⅝	86½
So Ry	23¾	22⅞	22⅞
do pf	64	64	64
Stude	132½	130	130½
Tex Pac	21¾	21½	21¾
U Pac	138⅞	138	138
do pf	71¼	74¼	74¼
U S I Al	65⅝	63	63¾
U S Rub	52	51½	51¾
do pf	97¼	96¾	96¾
U S Steel	104	102⅝	103¼
do pf	121	121	121
Utah Cop	53⅝	52½	52½
Va Chem	24	23½	24
Wab	9½	9⅛	9½
do A	24¾	24½	24½
Willys	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Wes'house	60¾	60¼	60¼
Wes Un	114⅝	113	113
Wis Cen	28	28	28

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Am T & T	121	123¾	124
Arcadian	2⅞	2½	2⅞
Ariz Com	7¾	7⅝	7⅝
Bos El	84½	81	81
Bos & Me	18¾	18	18¾
Butte & Sup	29¾	29¾	29¾
Cal & Ariz	55	54	55
Cal & Hec	290	281	290
Carson Hill	3	7½	3
Cop Range	37	36¾	36¾
Davis Daly	3	2¾	2¾
E Butte	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Eastern SS	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞
Franklin	1	1	1
Granby	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
Gray & Davis	11½	11	11½
Island Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
Isl Cr Coal	108½	107	108
Lib McN	7	7	7
Mass	2	2	2
Mayflower	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Mohawk	58	58	58
Nat Leather	7½	7½	7½
New Cornelia	15½	15½	15½
N E Tel	121	121	121
No Butte	9½	9⅛	9½
Orpheum	19½	19	19½
Pond Creek	20½	20⅛	20⅛
Quincy	32¼	32	32¼
Ray Con	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
Reece-Buttonhole	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜
Superior	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝
Sup & Bos	1⅝	1½	1½
Swift & Co	103½	103	103
U Apex	3⅞	3	3⅞
U Cons	2	2	2
U Metal	90	88	90
U Sh M	43⅞	42⅞	43¼
U S Smel pf	47½	47½	47½
Ventura	27	26½	26⅝
Waldorf	33½	33¼	33½
Waltham Watch	3⅝	3½	3⅝
Wickwire Spencer	12	11⅝	12

Jeweler and Officer Shot by Gunmen

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A jeweler and police sergeant escaped death at the hands of two gun wielding holdup men today through strange agencies. When Benjamin Bernstein, an upper Manhattan jeweler, failed to execute the bandits' orders to open his safe, one of them fired at him, but the bullet spent its force plowing through a heavy sweater he wore and he was not seriously wounded. As the bandits fled they engaged in a gun fight with Sergeant Richard O'Flaherty. A shot struck the policeman over the heart, but he escaped with a slight wound when the bullet hit a thick notebook in his breast pocket.

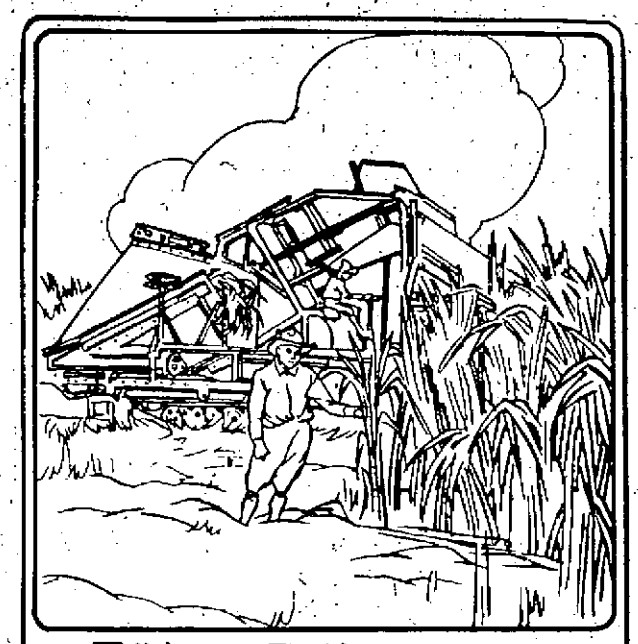
EVERETT TRUE

For You to Color

TINTED TRAVELS

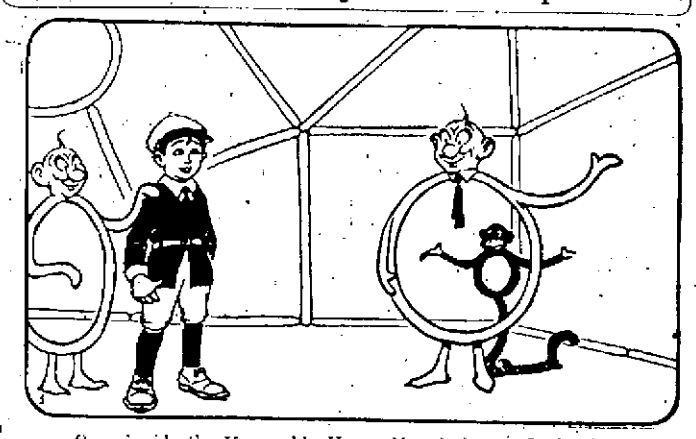
BY HAL COCHRAN

TALLAHASSE, FLA.

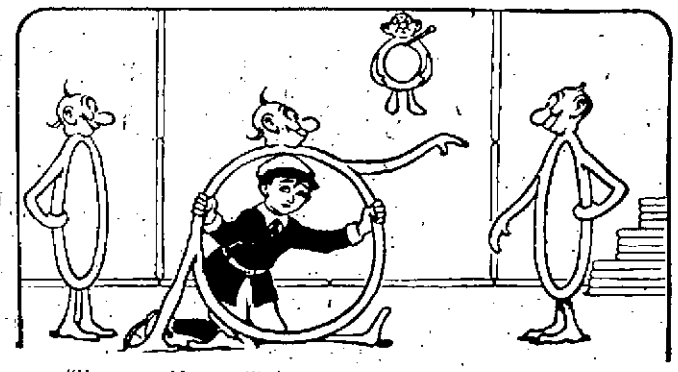


Tallahassee, Florida—
Is noted, in the main,
For cotton, lumber, naval goods,
Cigars and sugar cane—

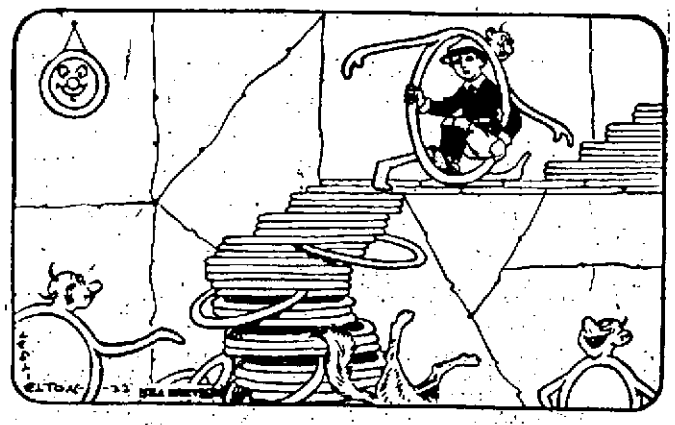
Jack Daw in Hoopland! Chapter 10



Once inside the Honorable Heeza Hoop's house, Jack was more surprised than ever. The owner of the place was standing in front of one corner, but Jack could see right through him and there stood a little monkey with a long tail, hoop ears and a hoop body. Jack had to laugh.



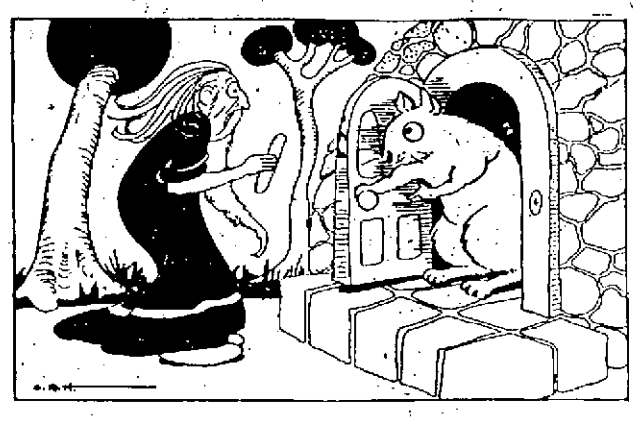
"Now, would you like to go upstairs and take a look over the surrounding country?" asked the Honorable Heeza Hoop. "Sure I would," said Jack. "All right," replied Heeza, "just crawl inside of my trained traveling hoop and it will take you up the hoop stairs in a hurry."



'Twas a funny, hopity hop ride that Jack had. When he reached the top he heard all the hoops, who had remained below, laughing. He looked back and saw Flip trying to climb the steps. Every time Flip took a step a hoop would roll away and send Flip flying head over heels. (Continued.)

Adventures of The Twins

GREEN WIZARD FOOLED



"NO SIR!" SAID SCAMPER. BUT YOU CAN LEAVE IT WITH ME IF YOU LIKE."

Nancy and Nick said they would be delighted to help the Green Wizard make his magic.

So wishing themselves up to the top of an old oak tree, the largest in Whispering Forest, they looked around for their new master.

Soon he came striding over the tree-tops in his long green robe and welcomed them cordially.

"My, my, but I'm glad you've come!" he said. "The orders for magical things have been coming in so fast my desk won't hold them all."

"Goodness!" cried Nancy. "Do you make magical things for everybody who asks you?"

"No," answered the Green Wizard. "Not until they have done something to show me they are kind hearted. But I have to watch like sixty so I don't get fooled.

"One day Mr. Scribble-Scratch, the fairy schoolmaster, sent to me for a magic adding pencil.

"Well, sir, I spent days 'n' days 'n' days puzzling my brains over it, but finally I got a pencil fixed up that only made a mistake about twice a week.'

"I wrapped it up," went on the wizard, "and took it to his house myself. Who should be on the porch but Scamper Squirrel! 'Is Mr. Scribble Scratch at home?' sez I. 'I've something for him.'

"'No, sir!' sez Scamper. 'But you can leave it with me if you like.'

"'All right,' sez I and handed it over.

"After that Mr. Scamper made one hundred after 'nother in arithmetic. And then I knew he'd kept the pencil. Yes, one has to be careful with magic.

"But come right along, children. My magic work-shop is in the big pine tree."

(To Be Continued)

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FRUIT CARROT PUDDING

BY BERTHA E. SHAPLEIGH,
Of Columbia University

Cream 1 cup suet, add 2¾ cups stale bread crumbs and 1 cup grated raw carrot. Beat the yolks of 4 eggs until very light, and add gradually, while beating constantly, 1 1-3 cups brown sugar. Combine mixtures and add grated rind of 1 lemon and 1 tablespoon strong vinegar. Mix 1 cup raisins, seeded and cut in pieces, and ¾ cup currants; then dredge with 1-3 cup flour mixed and sifted with 1½ teaspoons salt, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon grated nutmeg, ¼ teaspoon clove. Add to other mixture; then add whites 4 eggs beaten until stiff. Turn into a buttered mold decorated with raisins and citron. Cover and steam 3½ hours.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE

An American marries a wife. A Frenchman takes not only his wife for better or worse, but her entire kith and kin.

An American mother says, "We have lost our daughter." A French woman says, "We have gained a son."

French parents, speaking of their daughter and her husband, call them "our children." A Frenchman, speaking of his mother-in-law, says "My mother," or "Mamma."

SMOCKS FOR GIFTS

Despite the fact that smocks make the very best sort of apron for almost every conceivable occasion it is still difficult to get them in the shops. Made from gay Japanese print with white pique collar and raglan sleeves that button well about the wrist a smock will make an appreciated gift for the business girl who likes to cook dinner in her own little apartment.

DECORATIVE DEVICES

The season's decorative devices, while they are varied, still center largely in and about heads embroidered extensively on velvet grounds. For the popular metalic cloths delicate laces combine most effectively. Street dresses are in many instances self-trimmed, the trimming being put on in rolls. Dyed furs decorate the more formal dresses and also line certain of the evening wraps.

EAR RINGS

The closer style of hair dressing seems to be responsible for the present vogue for long ear rings, some of those for evening wear reaching almost to the shoulder. Crystal, steel and jade are used. Very large hoop ear rings are also worn.

WRITE IN VOGUE

White chiffon velvet is proving one of the loveliest of materials for the formal gown. Ornaments of rhinestone, crystal and jet are used with it, generally at the side.

GOOD MANNERS

Away on a visit, it is quite proper for a young woman to send a card or brief note to a man friend at home. It is the man who has gone away to whom she does not write until she has received a letter from him.

Legal Notices

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by James H. Smith, of Lowell, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to the Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, dated May 1, 1874, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 102, Page 466, said mortgage deed having been assigned by the said Mechanics Savings Bank in Lowell, to Othello O. Greenwood and Marcella Greenwood, both of Lowell, by assignment dated Sept. 15, 1890, and recorded with the above mentioned registry of Deeds in Book 215, Page 390, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage deed and for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage deed, will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on Saturday, December 23, 1922, at nine o'clock in the morning, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage deed, said premises being bounded and described as follows:

A certain lot or parcel of land situated on the southerly side of Bassett street, so called, in said Lowell, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of the premises at a stone bound in the southerly line of said Bassett street at other land of said James H. Smith; thence turning at a right angle and running southerly on land of said Smith and M. L. Bassett, 99.54 feet to a stake; thence easterly 47.63 feet to a stake at land of one Rogers; thence northerly on land of said Rogers 108.54 feet to a stake in the southerly line of Bassett street; thence westerly on the southerly line of said Bassett street thirty-four feet to the point of beginning. Containing 4167 square feet, more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to James H. Smith by Jesse N. Bassett by deed dated April 16, 1874, recorded in the above Registry in Book 101, Page 49.

Also a certain other parcel of land situated on the southerly side of said Bassett street and easterly side of Whipple street in said Lowell, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southwesterly corner of the premises at the intersection of the southerly line of Bassett street with the easterly line of Whipple street, thence running easterly on the southerly line of Bassett street 103 feet to a stake; thence turning at a right angle and running southerly fifty-four and 77-100 feet to a stake; thence running westerly about 110 feet to a stake which stands in the easterly line of Whipple street; thence northerly on the easterly line of Whipple street 46 feet to the point of beginning; containing .5213 square feet, more or less, and being the same premises conveyed to James H. Smith by deed of Jesse N. Bassett, dated Nov. 15, 1873, and recorded in the above Registry in Book 97, Page 589. All of the above described premises will be sold subject to any and all outstanding mortgages and taxes due the City of Lowell.

Terms will be announced at the time and place of sale.

OTHELLO O. GREENWOOD,
One of the assignees of said mortgage deed.
Geo. H. Allard, Atty.
d1-7-15

WORTH-THE-MONEY REAL ESTATE

NEAR SHAW ST.—$500 down buys a six-room cottage, gas, bath, hot and cold water. Price $3000

NEAR SCHOOL ST.—$500 down buys a six-room cottage, gas and toilet. Price.....$2400

NEAR WEST ADAMS ST.—$500 down buys a six-room cottage, gas, toilet. Price.....$2600

CENTRALVILLE HILL—$1000 down buys a 2½ story house of six rooms, gas, bath, open plumbing, electric lights, set tubs, steam heat, polished hardwood floors, cemented cellar, combination range, shades, screens; owner leaving city. Price, for quick sale $5600

M. Gomes, Bankers Exchange Corp.

200 CENTRAL ST. PHONE 3473.

Announcements

NOTICE

We wish to announce that we have opened our new store and office at 187 Appleton street.

WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO.
HARRY LAMBERT, Manager.

LOST AND FOUND 1

PLATINUM AND GOLD BAR PIN set with 3 diamonds lost between Wyman's Exchange building and Mammoth road during the hours of 5 and 6.30. Reward at Miss Hamblett's shoppe, 206 Wyman's Exchange.

GENTLEMAN'S BLACK OVERCOAT lost in vicinity of Parker and Stevens sts. or B and Wilder sts. Finder please call 3441-M.

$30 LOST BY WIDOW, between Pleasant st. And Belvidere Family Drug store. Please return to drug store, Andover st.

SMALL PURSE lost, containing sum of money, between City, Inst. for Savings and Chalifoux's, Sat. evening. Reward. Finder please return to 25 Rogers st.

$13 OR $14 IN BILLS lost Tuesday between Ladies' Specialty Shop and Huntington st. Reward return Lowell Sun Office.

Automobiles

SERVICE STATIONS 12

WELDENE SERVICE STATION. Aluminum crank cases, cracked water jackets, scored cylinders, car bodies, range boilers and steam radiators. All work guaranteed. Save 50 per cent. Belvidere garage, 35 Concord st. Tel. 700.

CYLINDER REGRINDING for all makes of pleasure cars and trucks. Piston and rings fitted. W. H. Roper, 23 Arch st. Tel. 4304.

ELECTRICAL SERVICE 15

COTE ELECTRICAL CO.—Electric motor and magneto service, new and second hand motors bought and sold. 531 Dutton st. Tel. 6373. Residence Tel. 1087-J.

STORAGE BATTERIES 14

AUTO BATTERIES
Generator and Ignition Parts and Repairs
CONANT BATTERY SERVICE CO.
Exide Dealers
64 Church Street Phone 120

AUTOMOBILE TOPS—COVERS 19

AUTO TOPS—New tops, tourings, $30; roadsters, $25; Gypsy back with bevel glass, $12. John P. Horner, 353 Westford st. Tel. 6293-M.

GARAGES TO LET 20

INDIVIDUAL STALLS for automobiles, rent $5 month. Inquire 18 Fourth st.

Business Service

MOVING AND TRUCKING 30

SAND, GRAVEL AND LOAM, heavy trucking. E. F. Purcell Sons, 280 Fairmount st. Tel. 1489-W.

WILLIAM ODDIE—15 Palmer street, local and long distance trucking. Our service and prices are right. Office Tel. 4529. Res. Tel. 6371-R.

M. J. FEENEY, piano and furniture moving, 19 Kinsman st. Tel. 5475-W.

JOBBING AND EXPRESS—Small truck. Tel. 5548-R.

STORAGE 31

STORAGE ROOMS for furniture and pianos, $1.50 and $2 per month, also furniture and piano moving. O. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st. Tel. 126.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE and pianos, large enough for two-horse load. M. A. Mahoney, 18 Fourth st.

ELECTRICIANS 33

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—For reliable work, Call H. F. Quimby & Co., 102 Chestnut st. Tel. 382 or 1687.

OLD AND NEW HOUSE WIRING—All kinds of electrical repairs. William Geary. Tel. 3459-R. 31 Liberty st.

PAINTING AND PAPERING 36

STEEPLE WORK, painting of flagpoles and smokestacks. Harry Sorrenson, 105 Westford st. Tel. 3148-R.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED 37

CHIMNEYS SWEPT, $2.50 a flue. J. M. Kelley, 191 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

ROOFING 38

JACKSON the Roofer will give you an estimate free on roof leak repairing and new roofing of all kinds. Tel. 2439-M during noon hour or after 5 p. m., 153 Summer street.

CHIMNEY and slate roof repairing, smoky chimneys a specialty. J. M. Kelley, 191 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

M. GEOFFROY—Contractor for shingle, slate, gravel and tar roofs. All kinds of sheet metal work. Roofer of 15 years' experience. 548 Alma st. Telephone connection.

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Elevator Service
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Good Light
MONGEAU BUILDING

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Phone 5840
447 Fairburn Bldg.-Lowell.

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Business Service

STOVE REPAIRING 20

HAVE YOUR STOVE TRIMMINGS polished and nickel plated. Regan and Kerwin, 37 Shattuck st. Tel. 2657.

QUINN STOVE REPAIR CO., 140 Middlesex st., sell lininga grates and other parts to fit all stoves and ranges; work promptly attended to by expert repair men. Tel. 4170.

BRICK AND STONE WORK

BRICK AND STONE WORK; cement garages built to order. Purcell, 289 Fairmount st. Tel. 1489-W.

PIANO TUNING 40

GILDAY—Have your piano tuned and repaired right for the holidays. Tel. 4926-W, 32 Varney st.

J. KERSHAW—Pianos and organs tuned and repaired. 50 Humphrey st. Tel. 974-M.

UPHOLSTERING 41

UPHOLSTERING—And cushions of all kinds. Coray, 48 Coral st. Tel. 1968.

UPHOLSTERING—Furniture repairing. G. Gott, 384 Bridge st. Tel.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE refinished, upholstered. Lowell Furniture Repair Shop, 5 Lincoln sq. Tel. 6665.

MEDICAL SERVICE 46

FREDERICK DUGDALE, M. D.
—Specialist—
SKIN, BLOOD AND NERVOUS DISEASES
RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, catarrh, epilepsy.
CANCER, TUMORS, Piles, Fistula and rectal diseases WITHOUT THE KNIFE.
EYE, ear, nose, throat, stomach.
Investigate methods of treatment.
LOWELL OFFICE, 97 CENTRAL ST.
Hours—Wed. 2-4, 7-8. Sunday 10-12
CONSULTATION FREE

Employment

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 50

GIRLS wanted for flat work ironer, Middlesex Laundry, Western ave.

CHAMBERMAID wanted, 33 Tyler st.

HOUSEKEEPER wanted. Six in family. Apply Joseph Duttle; No. Billerica, Fairview st. Tel. 172-4.

GIRL wanted for general housework. Apply Mrs. David Ziskind, 75 Gates st.

MIDDLE AGED WOMAN wanted for all around work in boarding house, 58 Church st.

CHAMBERMAID wanted at 57 Lawrence st.

ELDERLY WOMAN wanted to take care of house and baby, 93 Kinsman st.

GIRL with knowledge of French and piano to work in music store. Experience unnecessary. E. L. Turcot, 496 Merrimack st.

GIRL wanted from 4 to 6 years to board in private family, good home, best of care, reasonable price. Write 7-22 Sun Office or phone 4314-M.

HELP WANTED—MALE 51

SECURITY SALESMAN wanted to sell the stock of an old established Massachusetts corporation, with a consistent dividend record. Only experienced men with ability need apply. G-63, Sun Office.

REPAIRING EXPERT—Sewing machine repairing, all parts for all makes duplicated. Sewing machines to rent by the week or month. White Sewing Machine Co., 187 Appleton st.

RELIABLE MAN AND WIFE wanted to take charge of lodging house. Apply G-64, this office.

LOOMFIXER wanted, experienced on Wilton carpet looms. Steady work. Address S-43, P. O. Box 3470, Philadelphia, Pa.

STARCHER wanted, experienced on Wilton rugs. Address P-42, P. O. Box 3500, Philadelphia, Pa.

SALESMEN AND AGENTS 53

SALESMAN AND COLLECTORS wanted; good opening for two good men of steady habit. White Sewing Machine Co., 187 Appleton st.

Financial

MONEY TO LOAN 60

Wanted To Buy

All kinds of OLD GOLD AND SILVER, watches and precious metals. Room 12, Strand Building, 116 Central St.

CASH WAITING for 2d and 3d mortgages. Reply P. O Box 1057.

Live Stock

PETS 64

CANARIES for sale, guaranteed singers; also females. 160 Grand st.

Merchandise

ARTICLES FOR SALE 72

KITCHEN STOVE for sale, in good condition, cheap for quick sale. Tel. 4276-J, 15 Fisher st. Call after 6 p. m.

SEWING MACHINES, second hand, for sale. 1 good drophead Singer, $12. 187 Appleton st.

CHESTNUT POSTS for sale. Inquire 75 Inland st.

MOTHERS—Bring that boy of yours to Bachelder's and let him see the new Crown Bicycpede, the velocipede with the safety coaster and brake. Bachelder's, Postoffice ave.

GAS RANGES—In perfect condition as good as new, $15, $18 and $22. O. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st. Stovink 25c.

BAKER'S MILL REMNANT STORE—Moved to 242 Merrimack st.

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS 70

BUTTERFLY TRAYS, plaques and crochet gifts; one serving tray given free. Prices 20c up; hours, 2 p. m. to 9 p. m. M. B. Morgan, 88 B st.

Merchandise

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

PIANOS for sale, unusual values, lowest prices and no interest. Trumbell, 101 Westford st. Tel. 2395.

MAHOGANY PIANO for sale, fine tone and condition; a real bargain; 32 Varney st.

PIANOS for sale, new and used, low prices, no interest and easy terms, at Hounsell's 704 Bridge st. Tel.

ANTIQUES WANTED

PARTY FURNISHING ESTATE WOULD like to buy Old Fashioned Furniture: Chairs, tables, clocks, ship pictures, colored glass; very old silver, etc. H. Rubin, 279 Cambridge st, Boston, Mass.

SPECIALS AT THE STORES 82

SEVERY'S—Hats, 50c to $1 each, ready to wear. Velvet, silk and velour. Frames, 40c to anyone until Christmas 133 Middle st.

A. OLSZANSKI VARIETY STORE—110 Lakeview ave. Tel. 2753.

USED PIANOS—A few good bargains in used pianos and player pianos. Prices are right. Instruments guaranteed. Bon Marche.

CHRISTMAS CARDS—Hand painted, excellent quality, sure to please. Horne & Plumstead, Central block and 168 Laurel st.

FURS 83

HOME FUR CO.
G. B. Moody—Phone 678-X

I solicit your patronage because I can give you a genuinely good buy in fur coats. A large assortment, reliably sold. Furs remodeled and repaired at reasonable rate.

RAZORS HONED 84

RAZORS HONED—Our expert hones, concaves, resets and rehandles razors a little better than most everybody else. Howard, 197 Central st.

MISCELLANEOUS 85

WANT TO BUY a second-hand double-runner, capacity 10 or 12 persons. Write H-50, Sun Office.

TYPEWRITERS—New, rebuilt and second hand machines of all leading makes at reasonable prices. Our rental charges by the month are moderate. Prince's Arcade, 102 Merrimack st. to 45 Middle st.

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ROOMS for rent by day or week 106 Worthen st.

LARGE ROOM to let, 156 White st., cor. Crawford, furnished or unfurnished, den, gas, electric lights, hot and cold water, heat, garage if desired. Rent reasonable.

ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING 91

ROOM to let in private family. Apply at night, between 6 and 9, 100 Aiken ave.

ROOMS to let at 55 Gorham st. for light housekeeping; also rooms for single person, bath, hot and cold water, $1.50 per week up, 50c night.

1 OR 2 FURNISHED ROOMS to let in private family for light housekeeping, heat, light, etc., 14 Fifth st. Working couple preferred. Tel. 742-W.

ROOMS for light housekeeping to let, 155 Market st, gas and cooking stove.

FURNISHED APARTMENT to let, 3 rooms, steam heated, modern, private bath, adults preferred. Ready Nov. 24. 12 Bellevue st.

FURNISHED ROOM with heat to let at 94 Butterfield st.

1-ROOM KITCHENETTE to let with modern improvements, running hot and cold water. Inquire 506 Gorham st.

Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

5 ROOMS to let, bath, set tubs, at 14 Ames st. Apply 335 High st. Tel. 3054-M.

6-ROOM COTTAGE on Andover st. near Wentworth ave. to let, newly repaired, electric lights, exclusive neighborhood. J. P. Killeen, 230 Fayette st.

HALF A DOUBLE HOUSE to let, six rooms, bath, hot and cold water, set tubs, 98 Orleans st. Rent $6.50 week. Inquire 104 Orleans st.

6-ROOM TENEMENT to let, modern improvements. Concord st. Tel. 70231. Inquire 32 Perry st.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let on Madison st., near St. Peter's church. Inquire 506 Gorham st.

5-ROOM COTTAGE to let, all modern improvements, on Washington st. Apply 37 Ware st. Tel. 4732-M.

5-ROOM HOUSE to let at 139 Shaw st. Inquire 289 Central st.

TENEMENTS to let, 4 and 5 rooms, on Exeter st., near Aiken sq., newly papered and painted, on car line, near mills, $3 and $3.50 per week. Inquire Fairburn's Market.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let, modern improvements, $3.50 a week; also 7-room cottage. Call at 65 Railroad st. Mrs. Hopner.

Real Estate For Sale

HOUSES FOR SALE 101

2-TENEMENT HOUSE AND STORE on Broadway for sale, 6000 ft. land. Rents about $450 yearly. Price $3600. Tel. 6649.

BUNGALOW in North Tewksbury for sale, big business for landscape gardener, full equipment including automobile. Tel. 2007.

BUSINESS PROPERTY 103

STORE to let, has been a fruit and candy store for 15 years, 32 Andover st. Inquire Leo Cohen, 5 Concord st. Tel. conn.

STORE to let, 165 East Merrimack st., cor. Fayette, suitable for any business. Inquire 19d Pawtucket st. Tel. 2995-M.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division — To Boston / Fr. Boston

To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.20	8.40	7.30	3.16
6.28	7.20	8.00	7.06
6.53	7.56	7.35	8.29
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10.05	11.06	4.00	4.42
11.17	12.00	4.05	5.34
12.07	1.01	5.00	5.42
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2.45	3.43	5.30	6.35
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4.00	4.45	6.14	7.32
4.12	5.28	8.00	8.41
5.06	6.40	8.30	9.11
b6.16	7.28	10.30	11.40
7.37	8.10	11.30	12.40
8.17	9.00		
9.38	10.43		

Portland Division — To Boston / Fr. Boston

To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.32	7.36	a6.35	8.21
10.44	12.19	10.35	11.48
3.14pm	4.36	3.20	4.40
7.13	8.26	5.14	6.18
10.20	11.23	6.55	8.18
		9.30	11.15

Sunday Trains — Portland Division

12.07	1.20	3.20	4.45
3.36	4.36	6.10	6.45
5.36	7.30	8.45	9.50
8.35	10.06		

Sunday Trains — Southern Division

6.44	7.30	3.45	9.36
7.13	8.08	10.00	10.29
8.51	9.40	11.00	11.31
9.13	10.10	1.00	2.01
10.30	11.17	5.30	6.21
2.33	3.26	7.15	8.26
5.02	5.38	8.00	8.41
6.06	8.36	8.30	9.11
8.20	9.37	9.25	10.35
8.38	10.08	10.45	12.12
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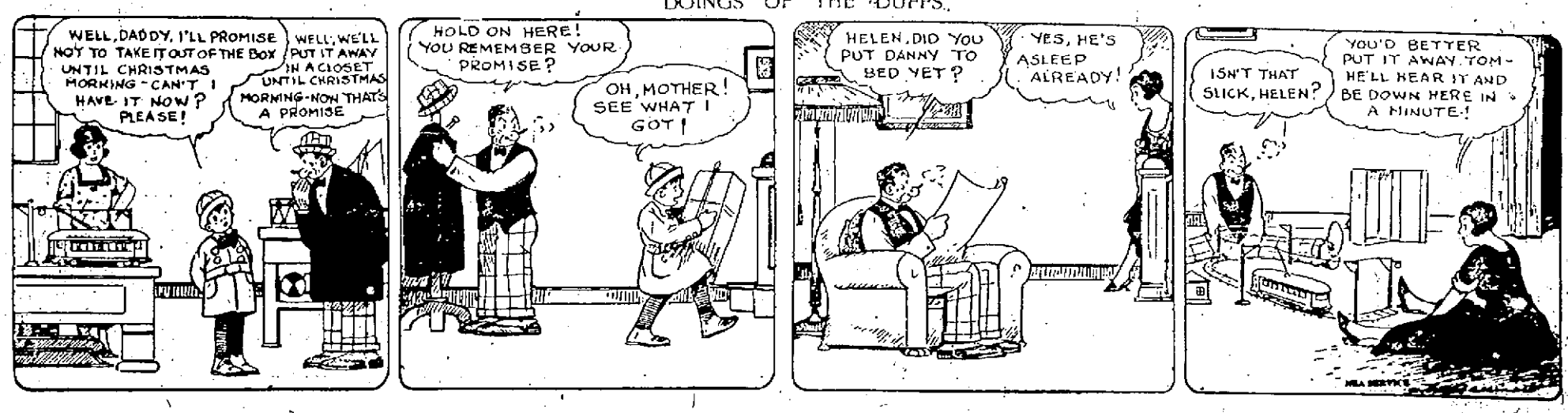
THE SUN IS ON SALE AT THE NORTH STATION, BOSTON

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS.



SERGT. WILLIAM DICKEY

Well Known Civil War Veteran Celebrates His 80th Birthday Anniversary

Down the flame-swept Shenandoah valley with Sheridan in 1864 went Sergeant William L. Dickey with the boys of the fighting Thirtieth Maine, a coveted second lieutenancy the prize after the war ended with the famous surrender at the Appomattox apple tree.

Today Comrade Dickey of Post 120, G.A.R., commander-elect for the second time, held a reception beo at his attractive homestead at 10 Brickett avenue this afternoon and the reception will be continued from 7 to 10 o'clock this evening.

Preparations were made for the reception of many Lowell and out of town Grand Army men, members of the Woman's Relief corps, "sisters" of Comrade Dickey's goodly wife, and

SERGT. WILLIAM DICKEY

well known citizens who have known the Civil war veteran for many years and regard him highly as a substantial and patriotic member of the good fellowship fraternity.

The reason for the Dickey open house and reception this afternoon and evening is the coming of the soldier's 80th birthday. So far as known, Mr. Dickey has never forgotten other brothers who wear the bronze button when they celebrate birthdays, and has been a leader in similar functions and fraternal celebrations ever since he became affiliated with the Lowell Grand Army post. And so today his friends, old and new, are going to return the compliments with a few interesting ceremonials and other complimentary things necessary to make this birthday party a record-breaker in local Grand Army circles.

Comrade Dickey—re-elected commander of Post 10 but a few days ago and proud of the honor and confidence of his fellow comrades, was born Dec. 7, 1842, in Portland, Me. Until he became a resident of Lowell, he was attached to Lang Post No. 157, department of Maine, being the first commander of that organization. He was also a colonel in the Union Veterans' union. (He is a past commander of Post 120 and also of Admiral Farragut camp, S. of V.)

Comrade Dickey enlisted from Gray, Cumberland county, Maine, the first day of August, 1862, joining Company C, Twenty-fifth Regiment, Maine Volunteer infantry, for nine months. He served faithfully with hour in all the campaigns in which his command engaged, being recommended for performance of meritorious service. He was honorably discharged at Portland, Me., on July 10, 1863, upon expiration of his service enlistment. His "vacation" lasted but a few days, for he was in this war to the finish, and on Aug. 3, the same year, enlisted for three years "or during the war," becoming first sergeant in Capt. Whitman Sawyer's crack Company B, Thirtieth Regiment Maine Volunteer infantry.

The regiment fought hard almost continuously for weeks at a time, one battle lasting for 24 hours at Deep Bottom, for instance. Later the regiment was transported to Washington, marching from there to Harper's Ferry, Va.

Then the fighting Maine volunteers, with Comrade Dickey right up where all the action was likely to be lively, swung gleefully into line with the famous Army of the Shenandoah valley under General "Phil" Sheridan, and you probably know the rest. The boys in blue from old Maine, with Gen. "Phil" at the lead, simply wiped up the Shenandoah lowlands as the old flag breezed along ahead, never once hitting the ground, though many a color-bearer faltered and dropped under the hailstorms of rebel minie balls.

Comrade Dickey was appointed second lieutenant after that, and no one cracked any jokes about "second loots" in those days, Dickey would have you remember!

The Lowell veteran received his final (and honorable) discharge papers at Savannah, Ga., on Aug. 22, 1865, the great war having ended.

The veteran served as an employe of the city of Lowell for 25 years and was retired in December, 1920.

Besides the veteran's estimable wife there are three happy children who are to participate in today's birthday celebration—Mrs. Fred A. Lombard, Mrs. Gertrude L. Stouffer and William C. Dickey.

Dracut Grange—Tonight
PONTIAC CLUB
Dance and Cabaret
Brooks' Orchestra
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FRIDAY NIGHT
LINCOLN HALL
Clarke's Orch. Admission 35c

HELPING THE VETERANS

Chamber of Commerce President Attends Important Conference in Boston

President Edward Fisher of the chamber of commerce this afternoon attended an important meeting and conference held in room 436, state house, Boston, beginning at 2.15 o'clock with Governor Channing H. Cox presiding. Numerous other bodies of business men throughout the state, including other organizations active in many branches of welfare work for citizens at large as well as veterans of the great war, were represented at the conference.

The meeting was called by the governor "to determine the best and most satisfactory manner in which Massachusetts can aid the national government in assisting the men who returned to national life with physical disability after war service."

The gubernatorial message calling the citizens together read, in part:—

"The veterans who have been trained in various professions and lines of industry in schools and workshops since the instruction service was adopted, are now graduates, many of them with no place of employment to go to. It is to provide for these men who have been expert in some good profession, that we are called together today.

"These men who have had good training, but who were forced of course to work their way along to knowledge without pay, most of them, or very little pay at best, are now looking for work. We must do all we can to find work for them.

"The veterans who have been through the various courses assigned them, have done their work well and want regular employment. In a great many cases there is no work for them at any wage whatever where employers had taken them in to instruct and help them. This exhibition on the part of employers who had no use for the men as salaried employes, shows the trend of the times and the sacrifices that some men are willing to make to help the untrained war veterans and enable them to go out and find work where work may be had. Although some of the employers who took up the tasks of free training of these men, would be glad to place them on their payrolls if they had an opportunity, in very many cases there is no room at the present time for those who have been in training and have now successfully passed the final 'tests,' so to speak, and are ready for regular jobs.

"Most of these men have been rehabilitated i. e., declared by persons qualified to decide as trained to 'carry-on' capably in the new objective.

"More will be rehabilitated. They must be absorbed by industry, the professions, trades, agriculture, the arts and sciences. The government promised all of those men at the beginning of their training period that they would be provided with employment opportunities at the completion of their courses of instruction. This must be done; not as a charity, not in a spirit of paternalism. It is a governmental, fraternal, business, patriotic duty to aid in the return of these men in a gainful way into the economic life of the state. This service must be rendered industry, the government and the man."

CHRISTMAS SALE BY LADIES' SODALITIES

In keeping with the season of cheer and good will, the annual Christmas sale, under the auspices of the various ladies' sodalities of the Immaculate Conception church, is being held in the annex of the Immaculate Conception school, East Merrimack and High streets, this afternoon and evening, and will be continued Friday and Saturday. The school hall has been specially decorated for the sale and those who visit the place will, no doubt, marvel at its beauty. The usual articles, including linens, embroideries, fancy dolls, candies and foodstuffs, will be offered to the public and as in previous years, a generous patronage is expected. Rev. Owen P. McQuaid, O.M.I., has direct charge of the affair and he is ably assisted by the following:

The committees in charge are as follows:

Holy Rosary table: Mrs. Arthur J. McQuaid, chairman; Mrs. Mary E. O'Donnell, Mrs. Mary Curran, Mrs. Fred Billingsley, Mrs. John McSorley, Mrs. Catharine Conlon, Mrs. James Richards, Mrs. Daniel P. Henry, Mrs. Bridget Johnston, Mrs. Jeremiah J. Dooley, Mrs. Della Gookin, Mrs. William Kennedy, Mrs. Walter Donohoe, Mrs. Francis McCartin, Mrs. John Lynn, Mrs. John Maloney, Mrs. Jeremiah Connors, Mrs. Michael Highland, Mrs. Martin Welch, Mrs. Patrick McDermott, Mrs. Edward McGovern, Mrs. Helen Lafferty, Mrs. William Hayes.

Immaculate Conception Sodality: Miss Bessie Nerney, chairman; Miss Mary Sullivan, Miss Mary Berrigan, Miss Mary Curtin, Miss Bridget Mescall, Miss Annie Powers, Miss Agnes Cavanaugh, Miss Catharine Sullivan, Miss Rose Morris, Miss Maria Keegan, Miss Marie Cahill, Miss Mary Halloran, Miss Mary McCartin, Miss Mary E. Dacey, Miss Catharine O'Connell.

Third Order of St. Francis' table: Mrs. Mary Collins, chairman; Mrs. Bernard Teague, Mrs. Mary Lyons, Mrs. Mary Blomberg, Mrs. Agnes Panton, Mrs. Annie Gill, Mrs. Bridget Roddy, Miss Mary Tighe, Miss Katherine McDermott, Miss Annie Scanlon, Mrs. Maria Moloney, Miss Maria Cashley, Mrs. Mary Keelan, Miss Jennie Coyle.

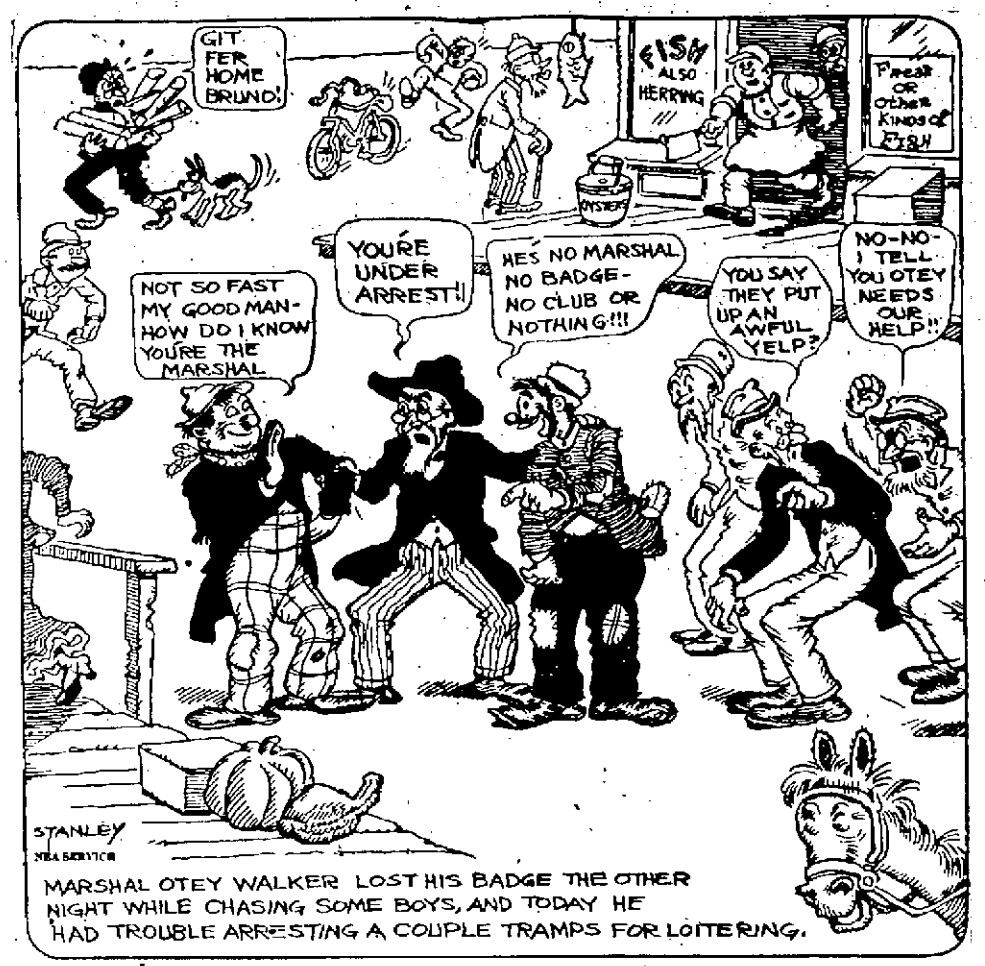
Children of Mary's table: Miss Christina O'Shea, chairman; Misses Esther Pollard, Frances McCartin, Mildred Colloty, Bridget O'Connell, Bridget Durkin, Marguerite Dolan, Grace Gearin, Dorothy Collins, Esther Armstrong, Helen Duggan, Jennie Cancannon, Mary Mellen, May Preston, Ruth Douglass, Alice Fitzgerald, Ruth Kennedy, Rose Welch, Mary Cassidy.

A cake sale will be held on Saturday in charge of Miss Mary Murphy, assisted by the Misses Alice Donohoe, Anna Kelley, Stella Drury, Elizabeth Kerwin, Margaret Gallagher, Katharine Dewire, Anna McCartin.

ACTION OF CONTRACT

An action of contract in the sum of $1000 brought by Undertaker Joseph Albert against Adella and Frank Desrochers, went to trial before before a jury and Justice Cox at the civil session of the superior court in this city this morning. In this case Mr. Albert is suing to recover the sum of $304.64, a balance alleged to be due on the funeral expenses of a brother of Mrs. Desrochers, Joseph Alexandre Provencher.

THE OLD HOME TOWN



VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

Instructive Addresses at Meeting Under Auspices of Teachers' Organization

In a large study hall of the high school last night, an open meeting, under the auspices of the Teachers' organization of Lowell in co-operation with the chamber of commerce and Lowell Post, 37, American Legion, was held, and the large gathering of teachers and friends listened to instructive addresses on vocational guidance by Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of Lowell schools, Frederick J. Allen of the bureau of vocational guidance at Harvard university and president of the New England Vocational Guidance association, and William F. Linehan of the South Boston high school. Miss Caroline A. Downey, president of the Lowell Teachers' organization, announced that Miss Sara J. Ginn, director of vocational guidance in Boston, who was also scheduled to speak, could not be present on account of illness and sent her regrets.

After extending greetings to the assembly, Miss Downey introduced as the first speaker of the evening, Supt. Molloy, who spoke on "Educational Activities in Lowell." He called attention to the fact that a special "week" is now set aside by city and state authorities for individual and community improvement. We are familiar with fire prevention week, cancer week, clean up week and so on, but attention should be called to the fact that people are not taking sufficient interest in educational systems and activities, and, he added, "there is no greater measure of a city than its school system."

Mr. Molloy then told of the great many improvements in educational methods by the state and city in recent years, and especially this city. He referred to the additions made in the junior high school buildings and the wonderful building which is called an addition to the high school. He also said the Memorial Auditorium, besides many other things, will serve as a center for educational work. The high school, junior high schools, elementary schools, including the grammar, primary and kindergarten, the vocational schools, continuation school and the university extension courses are all carrying on splendidly, he said, and are a credit to the city. The open-air classroom and the sight-saving class are also noteworthy improvements in our schools, while the evening school system has been placed on a basis which gives the pupils in those classes the benefit of teachers who have received the experience of teaching day classes in Lowell schools. The superintendent further stated that the New England states in general and the state of Massachusetts in particular need never be ashamed of the steps taken along educational lines.

Other Speakers

The second speaker was Mr. Frederick J. Allen, who chose as his topic, "The Second Rise and Progress of Educational Guidance," saying that this is a new line of work in educational circles, but almost important one. He advised the formation of a vocational bureau to work in conjunction with the school department for the purpose of directing pupils toward those occupations to which they seem best fitted, and in which they are most likely to succeed. Although there has been a large amount of criticism of the work, said Mr. Allen, the idea is a good one and the work became necessary owing to the fact that the difficulty of selecting an occupation in these days has greatly increased and there are so many and so varied occupations and professions to choose from, that the school boy or girl, if left to his or own discretion, knows not which one to select for his life work. The bureau of educational guidance, explained the speaker, was formed then, for the purpose of assisting the pupil to make the proper choice.

Mr. William F. Linehan was the final speaker and he also favored vocational guidance, emphasizing the fact that life has a spiritual as well as a material significance. To help the struggling pupil as much as possible, Mr. Linehan advised oral discussions in the class room on various occupations in the English classes, and thus familiarize the student with from ten to a dozen occupations.

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The regular meeting of the Sam Walter Foss Literary club was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Cornell, 21 Blossom street. The topic for the afternoon was "The Makers of American Honor."

Rev. John Callan of St. Anne's church will be the speaker at tonight's get-together at the Red Triangle village in the Y.M.C.A.

Clerks and department heads at city hall joined today in a welcome to Miss Katherine W. Snow, board of health registrar, who has returned to her work after a long illness. That she has fully recovered is indeed good news for her many friends.

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The Hit of the Season
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POSITIONS ON BALLOT

George H. Brown Draws Top Position—Gallagher Heads Councilor List

As result of drawing for positions on the city election ballot last night, the name of George H. Brown will precede that of John J. Donovan in the mayoralty bracket and James J. Gallagher will head the 12 nominees for councilor-at-large.

In the three school committee groups, John H. Preston, Thomas B. Delaney and Alice F. D. Pearson, respectively, drew first position for the one, two and three year terms.

The complete draw, including ward councilor contests, follows:

MAYOR
George H. Brown
John J. Donovan

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (1 Year Term)
John H. Preston
Emma Y. Slaughter
Francis J. Donahue
J. Eugene Mullin

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (2 Year Term)
Thomas B. Delaney
Arthur L. Eno
James C. Warner
James H. Riley

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (3 Year Term)
Alice F. D. Pearson
Annie D. Donovan
Patrick J. Meehan
James J. Bruin

COUNCILOR-AT-LARGE
James J. Gallagher
Smith J. Adams
Louis J. Lord
Daniel Cosgrove
Frank A. Warnock
James F. Hennessey
Thomas Lees
John W. Daly
Peter P. McMeniman
John A. Weinbeck
John J. McFadden
Maurice J. Lambert

WARD 1
Frank W. Stearns
Frank J. Hubin

WARD 2
John J. Queenan
Eugene A. Fitzgerald

WARD 3
George R. Bell
Donald M. Cameron

WARD 4
Frederick A. Sadler
William P. McLaughlin

WARD 5
John F. Gookin
Daniel F. Moriarty

WARD 6
Robert J. Laird
Joseph A. N. Chretien

WARD 7
Arthur Genest
David B. Kinghorn

WARD 8
Orrin B. Hamlett, 2nd
Arthur B. Chadwick

WARD 9
Richard C. Campbell
Thomas McFadden

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ANNUAL LADIES' NIGHT

Brilliant Social Event at Auditorium by William North Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

Taking its place at the very forefront of the season's social events, William North Lodge, A.F. and A.M. held its annual ladies' night entertainment at the Memorial Auditorium last evening. For sheer beauty and brilliancy, with hundreds of attractively gowned women and men in full evening dress in attendance, the affair has not been equalled in Lowell society for years.

Not only was the main Auditorium used, but Liberty hall was transformed into a most delightful rest and conversation room, where a buffet luncheon was served continuously from 9.30 until 12 o'clock.

The event was the first of its kind to be held outside of Masonic Temple and the beautiful Auditorium again proved its splendid adaptability for dances on a large scale and social functions where opportunities to move about and promenade without crowding are so necessary to their complete success.

It is difficult to imagine an affair more enjoyable and socially informal despite the formality of dress. The gowns of the women were magnificent and portrayed rare evidences of the costumer's art. There were exotic creations of chiffon velvet, satin back canton crepe and gold and silver cloth combined with tulle and a preponderance of orchid, midnight blue, tangerine and flamo colorings so popular this season. Looking down upon the main floor from the balcony one was instantly impressed with the beauty of the scene.

An excellent entertainment was provided, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock and was delightful throughout. The program was given by White's revue from Boston, with the following artists: Miss Janet Hersey, reader and dancer; Miss Josephine Covell, soprano; Miss Rose Leverone, mezzo-soprano; Miss Helen Cowell, violinist and Miss Retta Wilson, pianist. There were many costume changes and the entertainers proved most versatile.

General dancing began at 10 o'clock and continued until 1 a. m. Music was provided by Campbell's orchestra.

Liberty hall was used only as a serving room and was most attractive in appearance. Huge silver candelabra, with clusters of red candles, were placed in the middle of a large table in the centre of the hall. Artistically arranged poisettia and green boughs portrayed the Christmas season. The collation served consisted of raw oysters from ice block, chicken and lobster salads, chicken a la King in pastry shells, rolls, sweetbread patties, braised ham with champagne sauce, cold salmon with mayonnaise, assorted fancy creams, frozen pudding, sultana roll, cakes, coffee, candies and salted nuts.

The officers of the lodge who had the entire affair in charge are: F. Leon Gage worshipful master; Harold D. MacDonald, senior warden; Herbert W. Horne, junior warden; Cornelius S. Livingston, treasurer; Charles B. Frederic, secretary; Arthur R. G. Booth, marshal; Paul L. Perkins, senior deacon; Arthur Bartlett; junior deacon, John W. Fraser, senior steward; Ora W. Hardy, junior steward; Lester H. Cushing, inside sentinel.

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THE TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY TWO-TENEMENT HOUSE AND STORE AND ABOUT THIRTY-SEVEN HUNDRED SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT NO. 48 WEST ADAMS STREET, LOWELL, MASS., IS HEREBY PLEDGED TO THE HIGHEST BONA FIDE BIDDERS AT UNRESTRICTED PUBLIC SALE ON NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1922, AT THREE O'CLOCK P. M.

The premises consist of a full two and one-half story dwelling containing two tenements and store. The tenements have four rooms to each with toilet and gas. There are parlor, living room, dining room and kitchen on the one floor in the upper flat, and the same plan besides pantry and shed and electric lights in the lower tenement. The store fronts on the street and is conducted as a grocery and variety store, is electrically lighted and has separate toilets and city water. The building is in very good order and is fully rented. The tenements paying fifteen and sixteen dollars each, respectively, and the store yielding sixteen dollars monthly, making a total rental of forty-seven dollars per month, or five hundred and sixty-four dollars per year. The cellar is high posted and divided for each tenant. The building is supplied with front and side entrances and has a large open attic on the third story. The lot has a total area of thirty-seven hundred square feet of land with an unusual frontage on West Adams Street of fifty feet, and the building, located in a corner of the lot, gives a considerable open area for yard room. The location is most convenient and the neighborhood is comprised of homes and business establishments. The property is within a step of the new plant of the National Biscuit Company, the Lyon Carpet Company, the Saco-Lowell Foundry (formerly Pevey's Foundry) the Bay State Cotton Corp. and the plant formerly occupied by the Lamson Co., and within comfortable walking distance of many other manufacturing industries, and also being within easy walking distance of both the Broadway line of electrics and the Middlesex Street-North Chelmsford line. There are many attractive and high grade residences within a short step of these premises, thus making the property unusually attractive as a location so convenient to industry and yet essentially in a home locality. The sale of the above premises is a most unusual opportunity, as the premises being of two tenements, affords the owner a chance to occupy one of the flats and receive sufficient income of both the store and other tenement to pay the carrying charges of the entire property; and again, the owner, if he so chooses, could conduct the store business, live in one flat and have a substantial income from the other. The sale of the premises should directly appeal not only to the home seeker, but to the investor as well, as the premises, being entirely occupied and the store having an established business for a considerable period, assures the owner of steady and continued rental. Terms: $400.00 must be deposited with the auctioneer as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms to be made at the sale.

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